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**There Is Something Doing**

In the People's Popular Want pages today. Thousands of people are getting busier than you can imagine, and when people get busy that means "opportunities"—embrace them.

## JUST WAIT TILL INDIAN SUMMER

### Dr. Hyatt Says It Will Be Warmer Then.

LAW OF AVERAGES RELIED ON

FAIR WEATHER IS PROMISED FOR WEDNESDAY.

**Tuesday Was a Very Wet Day, But Other Places Not Far Off Enjoyed Even More Liberal Downpour of Rain.**

Today's rainfall is not a sign that "the melancholy days have come." It is not many teardrops shed by Mother Nature at the death of her fairest daughter, Summer.

Summer is not dead. Only sleeping. She will live again before the snow comes, so says Dr. Hyatt. And the weather man loves "the beautiful summer time" best of all the seasons of the year.

Don't say a word about trying to make that which we love live. Dr. Hyatt is a man of science. He cannot let sentiment trifle with facts, so he has a reason for his statement.

That reason is the "Law of Averages." This law is a great and mighty thing that says there must be an equalization of temperatures.

Equalization of temperatures for the year 1902 demands that we have many warm days. "They must come," says Dr. Hyatt, "if not just now, at least at Indian summer time. We can't have a year without a summer very well, and there has been no summer yet.

**Summer Will Come in Autumn Months.**

"The summer girls must have a show, so must the summer gardens and so must I. Summer is my season, you know."

Dr. Hyatt thinks also that autumn will be like summer. That the trees will stay green and the flowers bloom until some morning winter will come unannounced and proceed to take charge of things. That is our future weather, as he sees it today. Today that makes one think of November, and grate fires, and graves. Today, when we are walking through the wet, under gray skies and between much rain.

Today, that came in with a northwest wind blowing at the rate of 32 miles an hour, and bringing this rain that makes double-headers and postponed lawn parties possible, and which had already reached a depth of .94 inches at 10 o'clock this morning.

According to Dr. Hyatt's forecast there will be more rain Tuesday afternoon and night, and the river will rise. But we are not the "only ones" when it comes to rain.

There is "falling water" in Mississippi, Ohio and Missouri valleys, in the north Atlantic states, Rocky Mountain slope and the central West. The heaviest rains, however, are in our own Missouri and our sister state Illinois.

Thunderstorms accompany the rain in most of the places mentioned.

But the future is not without hope, and Dr. Hyatt has reasons for his optimism.

The indications for Wednesday are fair.

### THE WEATHER INDICATIONS.

For St. Louis and vicinity—Unsettled, with showers Tuesday afternoon or Tuesday night; generally fair Wednesday.

**Temperatures in Other Cities.**

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| New York | 68 |
| Boston | 64 |
| Philadelphia | 70 |
| Washington | 64 |
| Chicago | 66 |
| Minneapolis | 60 |
| Cincinnati | 66 |

## DESMOND SHY CLARK'S BONDS

**Circuit Attorney Took Case Out of Three C's Court at Chief's Request.**

Harry Adams, alias "Frenchy" Dupree, confessed pickpocket, who was arrested by Detectives Lee Killian a week ago, after he had picked the pocket of Michael Kraniz, on a Lee avenue car, at Broadway and Locust street, was charged, in an information issued by Circuit Attorney Folk Tuesday, with robbery from a person in the night time and with robbery on a railroad car.

This action is equivalent to an indictment by the grandjury and it takes it out of the hands of the Court of Criminal Correction, in which court Dupree appeared for his preliminary hearing Tuesday.

Kraniz lives at 1530 Mallinckrodt street, and he and his daughter were returning from a boat excursion when the robbery occurred. He and his daughter and a hundred citizens gave chase. Dupree ran into Detective Killian and was arrested redhanded.

Chief Desmond feared that a bond that might not hold would be accepted in the lower court, and he asked Mr. Folk to cause the information to issue and thus get the case in the criminal court where a speedy trial would follow.

## "I WAS DRUNK; NO EXCUSE"

**Frank Admission Made by Rev. Sam Small for His Collapse on Temperance Lecturing Tour.**

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Aug. 26.—The collapse of Rev. Sam Small, the well known temperance lecturer, who was to speak for the no-license local-option party last night, by Rev. Small's own admission today, was due to intoxication. Mr. Small says:

"I was drunk. I have no excuse to offer."

Sam Small is known all over the United States as an evangelist and lecturer. He was formerly a newspaper writer in Atlanta, Ga. He has appeared in St. Louis on the lecture platform and as an evangelist on several occasions.

## DOME FELL IN GAIETY THEATER

### Historic St. Louis Playhouse Is a Wreck.

IT WAS ONCE THE LONDON

EARLY HOME OF VARIETY PERFORMANCES.

**Since Mysterious Tragedy of Five Years Ago Building Has Been Closed to All Save an Aged Shoelace Vender.**

The roof of the auditorium of the London Theater, alias the Gaiety Theater, 24-26 South Fourth street, fell at 6:15 Tuesday morning.

A meaningless sentence to young St. Louis, the floodgate to reminiscence to St. Louisans of two decades.

If the accident had happened 25 years ago St. Louis would have been agog with the tidings. The story would have filled columns in the old days, for once the London and Gaiety Theaters were known to every St. Louisan. The beaus of the days which followed "The Crisis" patronized the London Theater and youths, who are now the mainstay of St. Louis' business interests, were wont to visit Mrs. Esher's Gaiety Theater and watch a ballet, which today would be pronounced insipid by any summer garden habitue.

Pressing time backward farther, say 30 years, we find that the old building was the site of Gregory's Winter Garden, a restaurant of great respectability, patronized by gentlemen and women of fashion.

The building was a wreck Tuesday, and only the gilded image of Melpomene was left on the walls to keep silent vigil over the wreck of gallery, parquet and family circle. Thalia, Terpsichore and Eros, those who ruled in the old days, had long since fled.

**Entire Roof Fell in a Heap.**

Melpomene watched a wreck, which can sacredly be remedied. The entire roof of the auditorium was lying, a mass of wastage, in the center of the building. The walls stood, and the front of the theater, where Jean Paul, the aged Frenchman, sells shoe laces, was intact.

Jean Paul, alone of the thousands of persons who have stood within its walls, cherishes an affection for the ruin. The old place was his home and his shop. He dwells in a tiny room in the front of the building and exhibits his stock of small merchandise in what was once the foyer of the theater. Jean Paul is sad. If the owners of the old building decide to demolish the part which the accident left standing he will lose his home and his shop. Sorry fortune for a man of 75 years, who knows no English.

Jean Paul was not hurt when the roof fell, but was greatly alarmed.

Acting Sergt. Tom Conlon of the Chestnut street police station remembers well the vicissitudes of the old building.

**Fortunes Were Made and Lost.**

He says that when it was first built it was called Gregory's Winter Garden. There was a fountain in the center of the auditorium then, and tables scattered around. If one wished, he could leave the garden and reach by a flight of stairs to the north of the building the palatial gambling parlors maintained by a powerful "company." There one might hazard fortune at keno, roulette, faro, poker and any game where chance ruled.

After Gregory gave up the place the building was occupied by the London Theater. Variety shows were presented. We call them vaudeville now. Charles (Shorty) Fry controlled the shows and he acted himself in skits given before the calcium gave the word "Good night."

The Gaiety Theater came after the London had passed. One day a rich cattleman was found dead at the foot of a staircase in the Gaiety Theater. He had fallen over the balusters, it was said.

The place was closed, and since that time the bats and sewer rats, the wood mice and old Jean Paul have kept lonely watch in the place of mirth and tragedy.

Perchance the Storm King did a kindly deed when he guided his wand of wind against the old building which remained only a monument to departed glory.

## CITY NOW HAS PUBLIC BATH

**Anyone Who Will Stand Under Courthouse Dome Can Get a Free Shower.**

Nobody who believes in the city maintaining free public bathhouses can complain now, for one was established Tuesday morning directly in the heart of the business district, or to be more accurate, immediately in the center of the courthouse rotunda.

A delightful shower was in constant operation there all the morning and anybody who wished to soak himself was at liberty to do so. Many did it who had no intention of bathing nor had a desire to be immersed. They just happened to be deep in thought and walked without seeing until they fell in.

The new institution is of the Roman style of bath establishments. The floor is of stone, and massive pillars support the surrounding balconies. Exquisite paintings, so old and neglected that they are peeling off the walls, pictures painted by renowned artists, look down upon the ground floor as though they would like a bath, too.

A beautiful dome, with many balconies, and surmounted by a little cupola, overhangs the bathroom, and from this little cupola the water comes. It is punctured all over and when the heavens open their flood gates, down it trickles until the sun appears and sucks up the moisture.

There is another smaller and more private in courtroom No. 1. The roof or skylight permits the entrance of the water supply here, but few persons know of its existence. It is understood by those who are required to labor in the courthouse that some day when the city gets a lot of money ahead, their bathhouse will be closed up, the holes in the cupola plugged, and possibly a piece of roof placed on courtroom No. 1.

**Gov. Jelks Renominated.**

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Aug. 26.—Gov. William D. Jelks was nominated for governor over former Gov. J. F. Johnston at the Democratic primary yesterday.

## GRAVE WOULD NOT HIDE HIS SECRET

### Missouri Bigamist Tried to Bury His Alias.

CRIME QUICKLY DISCOVERED.

MAYOR JAMES PENDLETON OF GENTRY PLAYS UNIQUE GAME.

**With a Wife and Children at Home He Took Another Bride in Kansas and in Trying to Make Her a "Widow" Was Trailed and Apprehended.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ALBANY, Mo., Aug. 26.—The mysterious burial of a coffin, filled with ice, near Orlando, O. K., Aug. 15, by "John Cox," under the pretense that the casket contained the body of his friend, Coda S. Morris of Emporia, Kan., is no longer a mystery.

The man who buried the ice-laden coffin was James Pendleton, mayor of Gentry in this county, and his act was an endeavor to place in the grave one of his own aliases, Coda S. Morris, under which name he had married in Kansas, while having a wife and family at Gentry. In his endeavor to get rid of "Morris," Pendleton assumed the name of "Cox." He has been arrested and is now in jail at Emporia, Kan., where wife No. 2 lives, and must answer to the chargeof bigamy.

**Pendleton Makes Confession.**

Pendleton made a full confession to the sheriff of Lyon County, Kansas. Sheriff O'Connor came to Albany and returned to Emporia with Pendleton Sunday. Mrs. Morris accompanied Sheriff O'Connor. She identified Pendleton as the man to whom she was married June 17 in Emporia by the Rev. Mr. Parker of the Christian Church. Pendleton wilted when he met the woman, but would not talk. The warrant was sworn out for Pendleton's arrest on the charge of bigamy by wife No. 2.

Pendleton's identity and whereabouts were discovered in this way:

Aug. 15, when, as "John Cox," he bought the coffin and the 200 pounds of ice at Perry, O. T., for the burial of Morris, he also purchased a crate of peaches. The coffin and ice were sent to Orlando; the peaches to Mrs. James Pendleton, Gentry, Mo. On this clue he was easily traced. It was discovered that Pendleton returned to his home in Gentry Aug. 16 from Oklahoma, after an absence of eight months. Sheriff O'Connor of Lyon County telegraphed the marshal of Gentry to arrest Pendleton. He refused to do it because Pendleton was the mayor. O'Connor then telegraphed Sheriff Barkley at Albany, the county seat, to arrest Pendleton and he did so Saturday night.

In his confession Pendleton said:

"I have been under a doctor's treatment for a year because of brain trouble and at times am a little 'off.' I have had too much morphine."

He said he was 36 years old, and was married first 12 years ago, but it was at least 18 years ago, as he has a daughter that old. Mrs. Grace Obley-Morris is of good family and excellent reputation.

**The Burial of "Coda S. Morris."**

Pendleton was first seen at Orlando, O. T., Aug. 11. On that date a stranger giving the name of John Cox hired a livery team at Orlando, and, accompanied by a driver, drove west of Orlando about six miles, where he turned back abruptly, saying that he had gone far enough. He returned to Orlando. Next day he hired another team and went alone to the farm of John Bocox, eight miles west of Orlando, where he bought a grave lot in a country cemetery in charge of Bocox. He told Bocox that a traveling man named Morris had died of congestion of the stomach while passing through the country, south of Bocox's farm. Cox told Westfall, another farmer, that Morris had been killed in a runaway caused by his team taking fright at some tents. Another farmer named McKinley was informed that the cause of Morris' death was heart disease. Cox employed Westfall, who lives on the Bocox farm, to dig the grave. He said that friends of the dead man were coming on the train from the North to attend the funeral, but that if they did not arrive in time he would inform Westfall, so that the latter would not have to stay up all night. Cox went to Perry, where he purchased a cheap coffin and shipped it to himself to Orlando. The coffin was opened on the depot platform and about 200 pounds of ice put into it. Cox loaded the coffin into an express wagon and drove to the Bocox farm.

He went alone. "Cox" explained that he wanted the ice to pack around the body, as friends might want to exhume it for purposes of identification, and the ice would preserve it for some days.

Arriving at the farm he told the people then that the body was in the coffin. Westfall and his sons, Thomas and E. B. Westfall, helped Cox carry the coffin to the grave and bury it. Cox directed that the grave be made flat on top and asked that it be kept in good condition, as a woman would be there in about two weeks. The suspicion of the Westfalls, who are easy-going farmers, was not aroused.

Sunday, Aug. 17, the coffin was dug up by order of A. H. Obley, father of Pendleton's wife No. 2, "Mrs. Morris" of Emporia. It was found to contain only a small piece of ice. The tracing of "Cox" then began, and ended in the arrest of Pendleton at Gentry.

## PEN PICTURES OF PENDLETON.

**Not the Stylish Man That He Was When He Came A'Courting.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

EMPORIA, Kan., Aug. 26.—The story of the Pendleton family is that James Pendleton's family was very wealthy when he came to Gentry many years ago. The Pendletons were heavy dealers in cattle and at one blow lost all their property a few years ago.

James Pendleton, the mayor of Gentry, is considered "queer," but was much respected. He came to Madison, Kan., about eight months ago and has made several visits to his former home since he came to Kansas. In Madison he always went under the assumed name of Coda S. Morris. He was in the business of farming and shipping chickens. In Madison the story is that when asked what his business was he cut inquirers short by stating that he got $40 a month for minding his own business.

When interviewed by the Post-Dispatch correspondent this morning Pendleton was not feeling his best, but was quite communicative. He is a typical Missourian, about six feet tall, muscular and weighs about 180 pounds. He is of light complexion, has light hair, blue eyes and slightly aquiline nose. When arrested he had not the appearance he did two months ago when in Emporia with matrimonial intentions. At that time he dressed well and was smooth-shaven; he now wears a month's growth of beard and is dressed like a workingman, with a wide-brim straw hat.

"You remember your marriage to Miss Obley last June, don't you?" he was asked.

"O, yes," he said and rolled over in his bunk.

"Will you put up any defense at all in your trial?"

"No."

"How big a place is Gentry, Mr. Pendleton?"

"About 3000 to 5000."

"You are mayor of the town, are you not?"

"No," at first he replied.

"You say not?"

"This morning's papers said you are the mayor?"

"Did they; I haven't seen a morning paper."

"Is that correct that you are the mayor?"

"Well, yes, I guess so."

"How old are you, Mr. Pendleton?"

"Thirty-six."

The probate judge's marriage affidavit book shows that Coda or Morris is 36 years old. Pendleton is at least 50.

"You remember the Orlanda burial deal, don't you?"

"Yes."

"And you were John Cox and Coda S. Morris?"

"Yes, all of 'em."

"What was your business in Madison?"

"Collecting and in land business, and then I did business for some other parties."

"How long were you there—about eight months?"

"Yes."

"Where did you first meet Miss Obley. At the Clinton Hotel?"

"Yes, about a year ago."

"Did you ever have any trouble at home or in Gentry?"

"No, I never had any trouble." Rather emphatically.

"You think there was something the matter with your brain during all this trouble?"

"Yes, I do."

During the conversation Penleton acted rather drowsily and held his head continually with his hands. It might be supposed from his remarks that he will plead insanity, but he says he will make no defense, and acknowledged he is "up against it."

He said he had a little too much morphine and his head was not "just right." The penalty for bigamy ranges from three months in the county jail and $100 fine to five years in the penitentiary.

As the marriage of Morris to Miss Obley was illegal, Mrs. Morris will resume her maiden name, Grace A. Obley.

Pendleton first became acquainted with Miss Obley at her parent's home on last April 3. He told her he was wealthy and she said he seemed a "perfect gentleman." They were married by Rev. Parker on June 17.

Miss Obley said this afternoon: "I have nothing much to say except that of course I feel very much broken up over the whole affair. I now must go to work again for myself. I married a man who deceived me because he was in every respect a gentleman and was always very kind to me and said he was well to do."

Miss Obley tabooed the idea of insanity on Pendleton's part.

She intends to prosecute Pendleton who today waived a preliminary hearing and was bound over to the district court with a thousand-dollar bond.

## MANY SCRATCHES AT KINLOCH

### Famous Brigadier Out of the Handicap.

KINLOCH RACE TRACK, Aug. 26.—This was a day that fully tested the faithful. It would be impossible to imagine a more dreary afternoon, chilly and wet, but not sufficient to dampen the ardor of the talent who were present in as large numbers as if it had been an ideal August day.

The track was a miniature Mississippi, but was not boiling or heavy. It was suggestive rather of acquatic than of the sport of kings.

Brigadier, Satin Coat, Found, Felix Bard, Bengal and Brief weer scratched, leaving a nice field of nine to run.

## WOMAN THOUGHT A PICKPOCKET

### Police Seeking Evidence Against Bessie Ferguson.

TRIAL OF HER CASE POSTPONED

SHE WAS ARRESTED AT WEST END HEIGHTS SUNDAY.

**Male Company, Who Gave His Name as Frank Bell, Was Also Taken in Custody—Bystander's Purse Stolen.**

The case against Bessie Ferguson, also known as Bessie Beard, was continued until Friday by the city in the City Hall Police Court Tuesday morning.

The woman was arrested at West End Heights Sunday night by Detectives Murphy and John McGrath and Special Policemen Kirk and Rice.

They say she is an old offender. The specific reason for her arrest Sunday night was a suspicion that she might have been connected with the disappearance of a purse.

The purse was extracted from the pocket of a Mrs. Feuerbacher, who lives in South St. Louis. She was standing near the theater entrance when she felt its loss and exclaimed that her pocket had been picked.

The detectives heard her outcry and immediately arrested the Ferguson woman and a male companion who were near Mrs. Feuerbacher. He gave his name and address as Frank Bell of 4110 Maryland avenue. She said she lived at 1220 Sarah street.

One of the detectives who made the arrest asked City Attorney Taylor to continue the case. It is said that the police department asked the delay for the purpose of trying to secure evidence against the woman.

Both the woman and the man denied any connection with the theft.

## HOW A WOMAN PICKS POCKETS

BESSIE BEARD.

(By Chief of Detectives Desmond.)

The woman pickpocket invariably works in conjunction with a man. And no woman ever was reckoned as a successful pickpocket unless she was able to dress modestly, look well and talk well. Women pickpockets are scarce, because it takes great nerve and a quick wit for them to be successful.

The woman pickpocket and her male companion are always quietly dressed. Their object is to attract as little attention as possible. They are never in a hurry, and may always be found where the crowd is the thickest. When they attend a summer garden they do not witness the performance, but always manage to be around the entrance when the crowd is entering and departing. The man is in advance of the woman, but he speaks to her occasionally in a frank, open way, to let persons see that she has an escort.

When the victim is selected, if she be a woman, the woman pickpocket does the "heavy work," and the man does the "stalling." The man steps in front of the victim and jostles her, at the same time he picks a quarrel with some man in close proximity, accusing him of shoving. This attracts the attention of the victim. Then the woman pickpocket works, and she works fast. She gets the pocketbook, or watch, or jewel, and passes it to her confederate, who makes it a point to leave as soon as possible. Often there is a third person with the couple, and the "swag" (stolen property) is passed to him, and as he has kept out of the affair apparently, he is allowed to depart unsuspected.

The woman then appears unconcerned. So does the man who started the jostling. They have ready answers for all questions that may be propounded by citizens, and if the police arrive they are respectful, never offering resistance, and rely on their ability to get out of trouble by not committing themselves.

## DID MRS. BISCHOFF TO END HER SUFFERING COMMIT SUICIDE?

### Woman Answering Her Description Jumped From the Bridge Monday Night.

MRS. BISCHOFF IS MISSING.

HER RELATIVES HAVE SEARCHED IN VAIN AND THINK HER DEAD.

**She Was the Victim of a Painful Disease and Had Made Threats That She Would End Her Life.**

Mrs. Francisca Bischoff is believed to have killed herself Monday night by leaping from the railing of the Eads bridge into the Mississippi river. She has been absent from her home at 2631 St. Vincent avenue since 7 o'clock that evening, and a woman of her description committed suicide in that manner a couple of hours after her disappearance.

She had been suffering the most excruciating pain for several days, was unable to masticate food and it was extremely difficult for her to swallow liquid refreshment. She had intimated her intention to end her physical agony by drowning herself in a well, and Monday, when in an agony of torture, she exclaimed:

"Oh, it cannot be always like this!"

Monday evening, about dusk, her son, F. L. Bischoff, who lives the next door east, went into her house to make a light for her, but she would not permit it. About 7 o'clock he went again, knowing that she would require the lighted lamp, but he could not find her. He searched over the house, called her name, and looked around the yards, but she was gone.

The wig, which it was her custom to wear, lay on a dresser; the little black satchel she generally carried was missing, and the shawls she used to protect her shoulders and head from the night air were gone.

**THOUGHT OF HER THREATS.**

His mind instantly reverted to her threats of taking her own life, and, knowing her feeble state, he could not become reconciled to the suggestion advanced by friends that she might have gone to visit her son, Rudolph Bischoff, in East St. Louis, as she had frightened them by doing about a month ago.

He hastened to the home of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Hartman, at 2351 Albion place, and her son, F. J. Hartman, began a search that lasted until 4 o'clock Tuesday morning.

He learned that she had gone as far as the bridge, but there lost all trace of her. She had not been to visit her son across the river, nor had she been seen by any of her children who live in various parts of the city. Then the police informed the family of an incident which occurred on the bridge about 9 o'clock, and every member of it accepted it as a fact that the old lady had succeeded in eluding their vigilance and had ended her suffering of her own volition. The incident was this:

**TRIED TO CLIMB OVER RAIL.**

When W. E. Fitzgerald of 1121 Chestnut street was nearing the west end of the bridge, on his way from East St. Louis, he saw a woman trying to clamber over the railing. He was on a car, but leaped from it and reached her before she succeeded in getting over. She was about 65 years old, feeble and wore a shawl that hung loosely about her shoulders. He talked with her, and had, he thought, dissuaded her from her apparent purpose, so

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## HAVE YOU SEEN THIS WOMAN TODAY?

MRS. FRANCESCA BISCHOFF'S DESCRIPTION.

Age—65 years.
Height—5 feet 4 inches.
Eyes—Dark.
Hair—Slightly gray.
Features—Thin.
Figure—Slender and erect.
Dress—Black figured cassimere skirt, black shawl over shoulders, black shawl over head, jaws and cheeks almost hidden in folds of white cloth which projected from the sides like a hood.
Identification mark—Right jaw, right side of mouth and part of right cheek eaten away by cancer.
She carried a small black satine bag.

## RESCUER BRAVED DEADLY FUMES

### Conrad Fritz Saved Life of Martin Heinemann.

AMMONIA FLOODED CELLAR

BREWERY WORKMAN BREATHED STIFLING GAS 20 MINUTES.

**Air Shaft Furnished Entrance for Comrade, Who Risked Life in Finding and Bringing to Surface Unconscious Man.**

Martin Heinemann breathed ammonia gas for 20 minutes Monday afternoon, and was saved from fatal suffocation by the heroism of Conrad Fritz, a fellow-workman.

The bursting of an ammonia feed pipe in a cellar under the Star Brewery at Belleville flooded the room with the fumes of ammonia, extinguished the lights and blinded and dazed the men.

David Miller, chief engineer, and Conrad Fritz, his assistant, made their way by groping in the dark to the nearest outlet, 30 feet below the ground. They then found that Heinemann had not reached the entrance.

They called for Heinemann, but received no answer. Other workers in the brewery came, and one after another volunteered to go after the missing man. But a few steps into the ammonia-laden atmosphere sent them back to the entrance gasping and choking.

Then Fritz offered to go after his comrade through an airshaft which leads from the cellar to a point 15 feet above the ground.

A water-soaked sponge was tied in front of Fritz's nose and he was lowered by a rope through the pipe.

Reaching the bottom of the shaft he groped about for Heinemann, who was lying unconscious a few feet away. Those at the top of the shaft had little hope that Heinemann was alive, and doubted whether Fritz would find him if he were alive, and they stood ready to draw Fritz back to the air at the first twitch on the rope.

The signal was long in coming, and when the quick tugging at the rope commenced the men at the top felt that they were drawing a double burden. A physi[cian] been called, and he succeeded in [reviving] Heinemann.

Heinemann was seriously af[fected by] long stay in the poisoned atm[osphere] his condition is still critical.

## BASEBALL SCORE

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| Boston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | |
| at | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pittsburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | | | | | | |

Boston, Pittinger, Moran; Pittsburg, Chesbro, Zimmer. Umpire, Irwin.

## STANDING OF THE CLUBS AT NOON TODAY

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

| | W. | L. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 69 | 41 | .609 |
| Boston | 58 | 46 | .558 |
| Chicago | 55 | 47 | .539 |
| St. Louis | 54 | 47 | .535 |
| Cleveland | 51 | 53 | .481 |
| Washington | 50 | 57 | .467 |
| Baltimore | 45 | 59 | .433 |
| Detroit | 40 | 61 | .396 |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

| | W. | L. | P.C. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Pittsburg | 78 | 37 | .744 |
| Brooklyn | 60 | 51 | .541 |
| Boston | 53 | 49 | .520 |
| Chicago | 54 | 53 | .505 |
| Cincinnati | 51 | 53 | .481 |
| St. Louis | 48 | 58 | .453 |
| Philadelphia | 41 | 64 | .390 |
| New York | 36 | 68 | .346 |

Owing to wet grounds no game will be played at League Park today. Wednesday the Cardinals and Quakers will play a double-head, the first game starting at 2 p. m.

**St. Barbara's Church Euchre**

The ladies of St. Barbara's Church will give a euchre party Wednesday afternoon [and] evening at Pohlmann's Hall.

**Bishop Potter Has A**

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y.

# A WORD FROM MORGAN WILL END STRIKE

## J. P. MORGAN HAS A VOICE IN CONTROL OF $6,448,500,000

The properties in which J. P. Morgan & Co. are interested, either through control, through membership on their boards, through financing them or by reason of acting as their fiscal agents, are with their capitalization, as follows, according to lists furnished by the financial agents:

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| **SHIPS.** | |
| Atlantic Steamship Co | $ 170,000,000 |
| Total | $ 170,000,000 |
| **RAILROADS.** | |
| Northern Securities Co | $ 400,000,000 |
| Northern Pacific | 333,000,000 |
| Great Northern | 22,000,000 |
| Burlington | 266,000,000 |
| Reading | 320,000,000 |
| Southern | 300,000,000 |
| Louisville & Nashville | 170,000,000 |
| Erie | 350,000,000 |
| Lehigh Valley | 175,000,000 |
| Atchison | 460,000,000 |
| British Electric Traction | 2,000,000 |
| Monon | 15,500,000 |
| Plant System | 25,000,000 |
| New York Central | 235,000,000 |
| New York, N. H. & H | 160,000,000 |
| Hocking Valley | 15,000,000 |
| International Traction | 10,000,000 |
| Total | $3,088,500,000 |
| **INDUSTRIALS.** | |
| United States Steel Corporation | $1,400,000,000 |
| American Can Co | 88,000,000 |
| North American Co | 12,000,000 |
| General Electric | 50,000,000 |
| Rubber Goods Co | 24,000,000 |
| U. S. Rubber Co | 52,000,000 |
| Pullman Co | 74,000,000 |
| Adams Express Co | 24,000,000 |
| Niagara Falls Power Co | 10,000,000 |
| Coal Trust | 100,000,000 |
| Salmon Canning Trust | 30,000,000 |
| Amalgamated Copper Co | 155,000,000 |
| Keystone Watch Case Co | 3,250,000 |
| Total | $2,022,250,000 |
| **BANKS.** | |
| National City | $ 40,000,000 |
| First National | 20,000,000 |
| Bank of Commerce | 20,000,000 |
| Standard Trust Co | 100,000,000 |
| Chase National | 4,000,000 |
| New York Security & Trust Co. | 1,000,000 |
| Guaranty Trust Co | 2,000,000 |
| Total | $ 187,000,000 |
| **MISCELLANEOUS.** | |
| Western Union Telegraph Co | $ 97,000,000 |
| Pacific Cable Co | 10,000,000 |
| Mexican Telegraph Co | 2,000,000 |
| New York Life Insurance Co. | 293,000,000 |
| Mutual Life Insurance Co. | 353,000,000 |
| Harper & Brothers | 3,500,000 |
| Metropolitan Opera & R. E. Co. | 3,250,000 |
| Madison Square Garden | 2,000,000 |
| Associated Merchants' Co | 20,000,000 |
| Aetna Fire Insurance Co., West Shore & Ontario Terminal Co., Jessup & Moore Paper Co., Lehigh Valley Transportation Co., Missouri Railway Construction Co., New York Standard Watch Co., Penn. Mutual Life Insurance Co., Bank for Savings, Cataract Construction Co., Commercial Union Assurance Co., Commercial Union Fire Insurance Co., Niagara Developing Co., North British & Mercantile Life Insurance Co. of London and Edinburgh, North British & Mercantile Insurance Co. of New York, Outing Publishing Co. and scores of smaller corporations not yet Morganized into a trust | 200,000,000 |
| Total | $ 980,750,000 |
| Grand total | $6,448,500,000 |

## Anthracite Mine and Railroad Barons Must Obey His Command.

## THEY ARE HIS CREATURES

## He Is in Personal Control of All but Two of These Companies.

## SETTLED FORMER STRIKES

## Now the Whole Country Demands That the Fight Be Ended.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—J. Pierpont Morgan could stop the coal strike in an hour if he wished to do so.

The railroads, a majority of whose stocks are deposited with his firm as trustees, mine and haul to market over 65 per cent of all the hard coal consumed in the eastern states.

The presidents of these railroads are men who agree with Mr. Morgan.

If they disagreed with him they would be dismissed, as President McLeod of the Reading was when he opposed Mr. Morgan's policy.

The largest single producer of anthracite coal in the world is the Reading Railroad and Coal Co. It was in September, 1896, reorganized by Mr. Morgan's firm. All the shares of stock in the new company are now deposited with Mr. Morgan as one of three trustees. Mr. Morgan names the directors and, through them, elects the officers.

The second largest producer of anthracite coal in the country is the Lehigh Valley Railroad, which operates 2871 miles of railroad. It can also mine 1,000,000 tons of coal per month from its 34,000 acres of coal lands. This company was in 1897 reorganized by J. P. Morgan, who purchased outright 75,000 shares of its stock, about one-half of the holdings of the Asa Packer estate.

In January, 1901, Mr. Morgan purchased the remaining half of the Packer stock. This gave him practical control of this company, its president and policy.

The third largest producer of anthracite coal is the Central Railroad of New Jersey, which besides operating 677 miles of railroad in New Jersey and Pennsylvania, owns the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Co. and mines about 7,000,000 tons of anthracite coal a year.

### MORGAN PLACED BAER IN POWER.

Of the $27,000,000 of stock of this company, J. Pierpont Morgan personally bought outright $14,500,000 par value in January, 1901. When asked about this transaction at the time he said for publication:

"It's my private affair and nobody's business what I am going to do with the road."

He afterward turned this stock over to the Reading company and made Mr. Baer president of both roads.

Another very large producer of anthracite is the Erie Railway. It operates 2271 miles of railroad, owns 63,600 acres of coal lands and hauls over 12,000,000 tons of coal a year. This company in December, 1895, was also reorganized by J. P. Morgan & Co. All the original stock of the road is still in the keeping of Mr. Morgan as trustee, with Lewis Fitzgerald and Sir Charles Tenant. The trustees name the directors and officers of the company.

The directors of the Reading are, beside Mr. Morgan as chairman of the trustees, three of his junior partners—Charles Steele, J. Lowber Welsh of Philadelphia and Samuel Spencer, and a fourth director in his able personal counsel, Francis Lynde Stetson.

After reorganizing the Reading, the Erie and the Lehigh Valley Railroads, Mr. Morgan purchased in January, 1898, control of the New York, Susquehanna & Western, another coal carrying road. In 1891 he bought the Pennsylvania Coal Company and the Reading and Wyoming Valley Railroad, with their immense coal properties, paying $32,000,000 for the coal company, and thus brought under his control the [illegible] independent coal producer in [illegible]try.

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## THE COUNTRY DEMANDS ARBITRATION

Arbitration and the settlement of the coal strike, the resumption of coal mining and the production in the market of anthracite coal for the stoves and furnaces of the United States, is the one crying need of the hour. The whole country demands that the strike be settled and the coal famine ended by arbitration.

For nearly four months the coal barons have made no effort either to work their mines or to effect a settlement by any means or upon any terms with the dissatisfied workmen. They have declined to arbitrate. They have refused to compromise. They have done nothing except to dole out their stores of coal at more than double normal prices.

This policy is a strike against the public need and the universal welfare.

All eyes are turned to J. Pierpont Morgan as the one man who has the power to induce an end to the strike by exerting an influence upon the great coal railroads that they could not disregard.

Since the strike began, on May 12 last, the sufferings of the miners and those directly dependent upon them—nearly 500,000 human beings—have been shared to a degree by the people of every state. The zone of suffering has been gradually extending, until now it covers the continent from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the gulf to the northern boundary. As the threatened coal famine comes nearer and nearer, the evils of the great strike come closer and closer home to each individual. No household dependent to the slightest extent on the burning of hard coal can escape.

The loss of life, limb and property from the bloodshed and rioting consequent upon the shutting down of the mines, the gathering of idle men and the calling out of extra police and the state troops of Pennsylvania has been great. The money loss to miners and operators alike has been in the millions. The loss to the community caused by the paralyzing effect on great and small industries of the general shortage of coal cannot be estimated in figures.

also organized and controlled by Mr. Morgan—sells the entire output of the mines, regulates production and fixes uniform prices to retail dealers.

The Morgan companies actually mine and bring to market 65.6 per cent of all the anthracite coal consumed in the eastern states, President Thomas testified.

There is not an officer in any one of these companies who could not be summarily removed by Mr. Morgan. Not one would think for one instant of resisting his slightest wish, not to say command. They all know that their future depends upon his good will.

During the critical weeks of the last presidential campaign in October, 1900, there was a strike of anthracite miners. Senator Hanna went to the office of Mr. Morgan early in October, 1900, and, as he left it, he stated to a score of reporters who waited at the door that the coal strike would be settled.

And the next morning it was settled.

It required only a word from Mr. Morgan to do it.

A year afterward about 40,000 amalgamated steel and iron workers struck.

When the steel workers' strike reached its crisis the president, Mr. Shaffer, came to New York and went secretly to Mr. Morgan's office. In less than half an hour the terms of peace were settled by Mr. Shaffer as the head of the union and by Mr. Morgan, who controlled so absolutely all the iron and steel mills of the country that he did not have to ask any one's advice or consent about what he should or should not do about wages.

Some of Mr. Shaffer's followers afterward repudiated his bargain with Mr. Morgan and refused to be bound by it, but none of Mr. Morgan's iron and steel mills mutinied against Mr. Morgan or for one instant refused to pay the wages he had promised in their name without asking their consent.

The strike was settled on Mr. Morgan's terms.

He could settle the coal strike in the same way today if he wished.

## HEWITT DEFENDS OPERATORS

### Capitalist Says Demands to Unionize Mines Is Unconstitutional and Should eB Refused.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 26.—Abram S. Hewitt, when asked today whether arbitration was not the only means that remained whereby the great anthracite coal strike might be ended, and whether or not it was an equitable solution of the differences, said:

"For a quarter of a century I have uniformly maintained the right and the duty of association, both on the part of the employers and employes.

"I am quite clear that the claims of Mr. Mitchell and the organization over which he presides are in contravention of the principles of free government and of the rights of men to earn their living in any lawful way, without interference from organized capital.

"The unhappy controversy now existing is not based upon any reasonable claim which labor can make for shorter hours or better wages.

"It is notorious that the real object is to secure the recognition of the national organization as an authority entitled to decide upon the rate of wages and the conditions of labor in the coal fields, wherever situated.

"If this demand be conceded, it will not be possible for any man, not holding a union card, to secure employment in the coal fields. This will amount to a denial of the right of every man to sell his labor in a free market. The concess on of this demand will make Mr. Mitchell the dictator of the coal business and put him in control of votes to decide the next presidential election.

"The right to labor is inherent in every human being and cannot be surrendered without the sacrifice of individual liberty and of private property. In my judgment the operators are only doing their plain duty in declining to arbitrate a question which is in the domain of conscience and involves the personal liberty of the individual.

"The only solution of the trouble is for Mr. Mitchell to order the strike off without [illegible] grievances to be abated, they will be promptly adjusted between the local operators and the local unions.

"The consequences of such strikes are so disastrous, not merely to the parties directly concerned but to the whole community, that every effort should be made as soon as the existing strike has been called off and the excitement abated to prevent by appropriate legislation the recurrence of such calamitous conflicts where everybody is injured and no one is benefited.

"The enactment of such legislation will not be attended with more difficulty than in the case of other disputes, now regulated by law and subject to the adjudication of the courts.

"Such disastrous conflicts will cease to recur and arbitration may then well be invoked to settle local disputes.

"The demand for arbitration comes with an ill grace from a leader who began the conflict with an order calling on the engineers, firemen and pumpmen to abandon their task, thus exposing the mines to utter ruin. To rule or ruin is not a policy which commends itself to the American people, who believe in the old-fashioned rule, that he who demands equity must first do equity."

## "DIVINE RIGHT" OF OPERATORS

### The Attitude of Coal Baron Baer Arouses the Wrath of Churchmen.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 26.—The attitude of the coal operators—represented by the Big Seven, the presidents of the big railroads which control the anthracite monopoly, is as untenable as would be the attempt of any seven men in the United States to oppose the will of the voting millions when an opportunity is given to record the expression of that will. In the face of the universal demand that the strike be ended, that industrial and domestic peace be granted to the business men and the householders of this country, President Baer of the Reading, as spokesman for the mine-owners' combine, has prated of the "divine right" of those who control the coal fields.

The storm of indignation aroused by Mr Baer's letter has been voiced most hotly by the clergymen of the United States who resent bitterly his snatching at a religious cloak to cover his betrayal of his public functions. President Baer makes this astounding declaration:

"The rights and interests of the laboring man will be protected, not by the labor agitators, but by the Christian men to whom God in his infinite wisdom has given the control of the property interests of the country."

The Rev. Father J. J. Curran of Wilkesbarre, Pa., in his first indignant comment on this remarkable utterance, said:

"If Mr. Baer claims the divine right (God save the mark) of ruling his property, he must concede divine right to the miners in working that property. Pharaoh, too, must have had the sanction of the gods to rule the land, but Pharaoh has been lying at the bottom of the Red Sea for many thousand years. By way of generalities I would say this: That the earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof. He created it for man's use and benefit. Now, if a handful of American millionaires assume divine right to the Lord's earth, where do the people come in?"

The Rev. Christopher Hughes, pastor of St. Mary's Church, Fall River, Mass., said:

"I very much fear that the Christian men to whom Mr. Baer refers as the owners of property interests at this time are not doing their full duty. Christ loved the poor, and when rich coal operators are Christ-like they, too, will recognize the plain rights of the poor men who are banded in a union."

The Rev. Dr. W. O. Moore of Lynn, Mass., said:

"I wish the Christian employer showed a more Christian spirit toward the laboring class. In that event the problem would easily be solved and President Baer's ideas put into practice. It is not reasonable to suppose that a man who has taken a position similar to that of President Baer in the present struggle would be the proper person to guard the rights and interests of the laboring man."

The Rev. Dr. Morgan Wood, pastor of Plymouth Congregational Church of Cleveland said:

"It is an open question whether God has given these men control of the property interests or whether they have usurped it."

The Rev. J. J. Woolley of Pawtucket, one of the leading ministers of Rhode Island, said:

"I am rather inclined to think that God does not do his work in just the way President Baer seems to think. I have never believed God has chosen rich men practical[illegible] be his special agents to control property or other interests. All of Christ's disciples were poor men."

## MINERS EAGER TO ARBITRATE

### From the Beginning the Employes of the Mines Have Urged Settlement by Arbitration.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 26.—From the beginning of the strike the miners, through their recognized leaders, have been willing and anxious to submit to arbitration. They hailed the offer of mediation made by the Civic Federation with joy, and were greatly disappointed when the operators flatly refused to meet the conciliatory committee with Senator Hanna and Bishop Potter and discuss the differences with a view of arriving at an adjustment satisfactory to both sides. Throughout the four months of the strike the attitude of the miners has been that of reasonable human beings, prepared to submit their case to the tribunal of public opinion as represented by a fair commission of disinterested men, and abide by the decision laid down.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, the most powerful organization of wage-earners in the country, says:

"The miners in the anthracite coal regions have from the first urged that the contention between them and the mine owners be submitted to disinterested and impartial arbitration. Their position has been unchanged. If the damands of the miners were conceded it would not involve an increase of more than 20 cents on each ton of coal; yet through the perversity of the operators the price of coal to the people has increased more than $4 a ton, with prospects that they will be still more largely mulcted.

"Surely, if the miners' contention is unreasonable a volunteer board of arbitration would not sustain them. The miners have no alternative but to wage this contest to the bitter end, unless an honorable adjustment can be reached. They are fighting against a recurrence of conditions which for 25 years debased and degraded and almost enslaved them. In the fight they have the sympathy and support of all men who love justice and fair dealing and who are opposed to the deterioration of our people."

President John Mitchell of the United Mine Workers has never changed his position that arbitration was the fair and the American way to settle the dispute between employers and employed. Before he left Chicago President Mitchell said again:

"I would be very glad to meet any committee that has for its purpose a settlement of the strike in the hard coal fields. The cause of the miners is just and we are now and always have been willing that it should go before any body of honest men for adjudication."

President Roosevelt has kept himself informed of the strike situation from the first. When the operators insolently spurned the offer of the Civic Federation last spring to arbitrate he sent Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright to learn all the facts connected with the dispute. The President has all along hoped that some means would be found whereby the differences between the operators and their men might be arbitrated, and it is known that he consulted with many eminent lawyers and officials to ascertain if there was any way by which arbitration could be forced on the operators.

The President received a voluminous report on the strike from Commissioner Wright a month ago. When he had finished its perusal he sent it to the attorney-general with a request that an opinion be furnished him by Mr. Knox whether or not the combination of the coal carrying railroads does not constitute a violation of the anti-trust law.

Attorney-General Knox has made no announcement of his decision in response to the President's request that he consider Mr. Wright's report with a view to taking action in the courts if such action is feasible. If he has examined the question himself and come to a decision only President Roosevelt knows of it. Labor Commissioner Wright has not given any inkling as to the facts or recommendations contained in his report. Mr. Wright is an ardent advocate of the system of trade boards of conciliation and arbitration, which are a great factor in the industrial world of Europe.


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## DID MRS. BISCHOFF COMMIT SUICIDE?

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across the bridge, and she walked slowly in the opposite direction.

He had advanced only a few steps when he was startled by the sound of a splash in the water. Turning and running back, he leaned over the railing and saw a small dark object float for a few seconds on the surface of the river and then sink from view. The woman he had addressed a moment before was nowhere to be seen and he reached the conclusion that she had clambered over the rail after he left her and plunged to her death. He communicated his story to the police.

It is almost certain her relatives think that the strange woman was Mrs. Bischoff. Her clothing, her age, her feebleness—everything tallies with the description of the missing woman, and her family are mourning her as dead. They have accepted the supposition as a fact and are simply waiting for her body to be found in the water.

### REFUSED MEDICINE.

Monday morning she refused to take the medicine which Dr. Luedeking prescribed for her, stating that it was not necessary. For twenty years she had suffered from cancer. For three days she has been unable to swallow a mouthful of food and her condition was becoming unbearable. It is now believed that her mind was made up in the morning to kill herself, and she waited patiently all during the day until the darkness fell and she could escape without observation.

Mrs. Bischoff was of youthful appearance. She habitually wore a dark wig, and this concealed the slight gray of her hair. And she always wore a cassimere shawl over her shoulders and another about her head in the Spanish fashion.

She had often told her oldest son that should anything ever happen to her, he would find everything she cared about in a large clothes basket, which stood in the kitchen. So on Monday night she seated was instituted there in the hope that a note or some clew could be found. But only a lot of jewelry, old-fashioned, but valuable, and a sum of money was found. Mrs. Bischoff owned the house she lived in and some other real estate, and she also had a good bank account.

She was Miss Francisca Henneberg before her marriage with George Bischoff. Her father was a prominent musician in those early days of St. Louis and her husband was the first civil engineer in St. Louis. She left six children: Mrs. Minnie Gottschalk, Mrs. J. H. Hartman, Mrs. Andrew Prantz, F. L. Bischoff, a mail carrier; Rudolph Bischoff, a paper carrier in East St. Louis, and Rudolph Bischoff, who is secretary of the Street Department.


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**Texas Fever in Missouri.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MARSHALL, Mo., Aug. 26.—Texas fever has broken out among the cattle on the James Thorp stock farm near Marshall. A number of them are sick and some have died. Veterinary Surgeon Moore of Kansas City has quarantined the herd.

## RAILROAD MEN ROBBED BOX CAR

### Two Confess Part in Theft of Shoes.

### THEY ACCUSE YARDMASTER

### HE IS ARRESTED, BUT DENIES COMPLICITY.

### Night Watchman and Former Yard Employe Admitted Guilt After Latter Had Been Captured With Plunder in His Possession.

The East St. Louis police and Assistant State's Attorney McMurdo of East St. Louis have secured statements from Henry Ellsworth and George Willis confessing their connection with a scheme to rob freight cars in the East St. Louis yards, and implicating Thomas Burns.

The three men have been arrested. Burns has given bond for his appearance Wednesday for preliminary hearing. The other two waived preliminary hearing in the court of Justice Boyne at East St. Louis Tuesday morning and were bound over to the East St. Louis grandjury in the sum of $800. They could not give bond and were locked up again.

The officials believe that the arrests will uncover extensive robberies which have been going on for several months, from which the Big Four Railroad has been the chief sufferer.

Ellsworth tried to sell several cases of shoes to a second-hand dealer on Market street Monday. The dealer was suspicious and told him to return later. He told Special Officers Dotzman and Shannon and they lay in wait. When Ellsworth returned they arrested him. He admitted that the shoes had been stolen, and implicated Willis and Burns.

Willis is night watchman for the Louisville & Nashville Railroad on the east side and Burns is night yardmaster for the Big Four. Ellsworth was formerly a railroad man.

Ellsworth said Willis was to meet him at his room, 1120 Market street, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. When he came the officers were waiting for him and arrested him. Burns was arrested by the East St. Louis police on the request by telephone of the St. Louis authorities.

Ellsworth and Willis were taken to the East Side, where they made detailed statements of their connection with the job.

According to Ellsworth's statement, he was approached Friday by Burns, who said that he was obliged to have money, and knew how they could both get plenty of money if Ellsworth would join him. Ellsworth expressed a readiness to do after he had been assured that there would be no danger of detection, and it was arranged that Burns should notify him when and where to get some goods and sell them and they would divide the proceeds.

Sunday evening, Ellsworth says, Burns came to him and told him to go to a certain car in the Big Four yards and get the cases of shoes. Ellsworth did so, and was caught in trying to sell them.

Ellsworth says he took Willis into the game after it had been unfolded to him by Burns.

Burns denies that there is any truth in the statement of Ellsworth or in that of Willis, which corroborates that of Ellsworth in a large measure.

Both Ellsworth and Willis insist that the theft of the shoes was the first job they had engaged in, and the officials are inclined to believe them.

Lieut. Thomas Walsh, who has been working on the case on the east side, said Tuesday morning that the Big Four had been missing goods for several months.

The railroad people are non-committal and the accused men will not talk other than to refer inquisitors to the statements which they have made to the authorities.

The police are confident of uncovering a systematic scheme of robbing freight cars in the East St. Louis yards.

Several men were arrested a few months ago on the same charge, but they were acquitted on account of a flaw in the case, a private detective in working up the case against them having theoretically committed the thefts himself, the men merely receiving the goods from his hands.

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## CHANGES IN THE FOOTBALL RULES

### Expert Thinks New Regulations Will Not Materially Alter the Game.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Regarding the changes in this year's football rules, a prominent authority on the game says:

"It does not seem to me that the changes will very materially affect the game. The one of most importance is, of course, the one about changing goals after a touchdown or a goal, and this would sometimes make very considerable difference.

"Under the old rules, if there was a strong wind and that wind died down in the second half, only one team got the benefit of it.

A most serious objection to the change may prove to be that the shifting of goals will mix up the spectators somewhat.

"It is safe to say that the general public will notice no alterations in the play by the changes in the rest of the rules, except that penalties are more generally five yards than ten yards. This is evidently based upon the hope that the officials will be more strict in enforcing them.

"I do not see anything in the rules which makes any very radical alterations in the style of coaching teams."


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## MARRIAGES BIRTHS, DEATHS

### Marriage Licenses.

| | |
|---|---|
| A. E. Brooker | St. Charles, Mo |
| Marie L. Morphy | New York City |
| John McCarthy | Taylorville, Ill |
| Agnes Cain | Hageman, Ill |
| Fred Steger | 1428 S. Broadway |
| Carrie J. Simon | 1505 Menard st |

### Births Recorded.

H. and M. Huber, 4359 Linton; girl.
J. and L. Kaill, 2820 Keokuk; boy.
T. and H. Loosh, 3219 Manchester; boy.
J. and M. Dunning, 4010 N. Grand; boy.
J. and A. Nicholas, 4372 Vista; girl.
L. and J. Roessle n, 4300 Norfolk; boy.
L. and K. Richards, 1714 Chouteau; girl.
C. and A. Clark, 2835 Ohio; boy.
S. and R. Goldman, 1900 N. Sarah; girl.
S. and J. Ellen, 1410 N. 7th; girl.
G. and C. Smith, 1104 N. 9th; girl.
V. and F. Schulte, 2808 N. 15th; boy.
T. and A. Weber, 1710 S. 9th; girl.
F. and M. Reinhardt, 1453 North Market; boy.
J. and R. Remer, 2308 N. 18th; boy.
J. and M. Wilstach, 4815 Blair; boy.
E. and M. Simmons, 4612 Maryland; girl.
J. and M. Hornsby, 1306 Pine; boy.
C. and M. Hill, 1325 Olive; girl.
H. and G. Freese, 1855 Madison; boy.
B. and M. Isaacs, 5566 Cates; girl.
J. and M. Smith, 2714 S. Broadway.
J. and L. Ogle, 2708 Utah; girl.
H. and M. Walter, 3458 Missouri; boy.
H. and H. Schmidt, 3529 Illinois; girl.
H. and B. Diebrick, 3144 Minnesota; girl.
W. and B. Spiess, 3900 Jefferson; boy.
F. and E. Hilse, 2001 Utah; girl.
H. and C. Kroell, 1218 Lyons; girl.

### Burial Permits.

Raymond Tobin, 4, 4449 Maffitt; diphtheria.
Puranda Macures, 9 months, 814 N. 8th; gastro-enteritis.
Rupert E. Myer, 1, 720 S. Newstead; bronchitis.
Margaret Huber, 7 days, 4554 Lawton; trismus neonatorum.
Magdalana Fisher, 1, 6317 Childs; croup.
Rudolph Pfender, 67, Latheran Hospital; cirrhosis of liver.

## DEATHS.

CAMPBELL—Entered into rest, on Monday, Aug. 25, at 7:30 p. m., Samuel Campbell, beloved son of Josie Campbell (nee Donsworth) and the late James Campbell and brother of William J. Campbell and Mrs. Mary Russell (nee Campbell).

Funeral will take place from family residence, 2113 Wash street, on Thursday, Aug. 28, at 2 p. m., to St. Bridget's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.

HAWES—Mrs. Carrie I. Hawes, wife of the late Frederick Hawes, Sunday, Aug. 24, at Kirkwood, Mo.

Funeral Tuesday, 3 p. m., from her home, Clay avenue and Clinton place.

JORGENSEN—On Monday, Aug. 25, at 9:15 p. m., Robert Jorgensen, dearly beloved husband of Theresa Jorgensen (nee Schoen) and son of H. P. Jorgensen and brother of George, William and Mathilda Jorgensen, aged 33 years.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday, Aug. 27, at 2:30 p. m., from residence, 4544A Garfield avenue. Friends are invited.

KILLPATRICK—On Monday, Aug. 25, at 7 a. m., Louisa Ursula Killpatrick, aged 5½ months.

Funeral Wednesday, at 1 p. m., from residence of J. W. Mertz, Webster Groves.

PORTER—On Monday, Aug. 25, 1902, after a short illness, John A. Porter, beloved husband of Mrs. C. A. Porter (nee Shaw) and father of Charles K. and Albert B. Porter, at the age of 60 years.

Funeral will take place from late residence, 1729 South Seventh street, Wednesday, Aug. 27, at 2 p. m., thence to St. Mathew's Cemetery. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Deceased was a member of Ship Carpenters' and Corkers' Association, Nos. 82 and 83, A. F. L.

SWEENEY—On Monday, Aug. 25, at 11:15 p. m., after a lingering illness, Thomas Sweeney, beloved son of Catherine and the late Thomas Sweeney, and dear brother of Mrs. H. W. Riede, Mrs. Adam Mueller, Joseph Martin and Winnie Sweeney, aged 27 years.

Funeral will take place on Wednesday, Aug. 27, 1902, at 2 p. m., from residence, 4613 Florissant avenue, to Holy Name Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

TAYON—On Tuesday, Aug. 26, at 6 a. m., Mary A. Tayon (nee Marshall), beloved wife of John B. Tayon and mother of Joseph, Lizzie, George, Stella and Lottie Tayon, aged 42 years 6 months 28 days.

Funeral from family residence, 6124 South Eighth street, on Thursday, Aug. 28, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Mary and Joseph's Church, thence to Mount Olive Cemetery. Friends invited.

## SANTOS-DUMONT DISGUSTED

PARIS, Aug. 26.—Santos-Dumont says he is disgusted with the United States and declares that its show of interest in aeronautics is a "gigantic bluff."

"In fact," says Santos-Dumont, "I might have known in the first place that France is the only nation possessing sufficient imagination and faith to enter seriously and confidently on such a field. My experience in England and the United States proves that the Anglo-Saxons have not the necessary temperament, and that, therefore, France must remain the scene of the aeronauts' future struggles with the air until the problem is solved.

"New Yorkers will be willing to put up money only when millionaires promise to take up airshipping as a fad. Chicago's talk has proved to be merely hot air.

"In short, America's entire attitude toward the matter is one pure, gigantic bluff. I lost time and furnished food for the comic papers. That was all my trip to the United States amounted to."

Only in St. Louis, he says, are his efforts appreciated and he will reciprocate the genuine interest shown there by returning to the United States to compete for the World's Fair prize. With that exception, he will operate only in France hereafter.

Paris' opinion of Santos is that he has a severe attack of head-swelling and that it is making him so ridiculous that he is not only injuring himself, but the cause of aeronautics as well. The Aero Club is displeased with him and will not give him substantial aid.


St. Louis **A·B·C BEERS**

*The Highest Priced but the Best Quality.*

SOLD EVERYWHERE.

# CATARRH OF THE BOWELS

## Often Causes Hemorrhage of the Bowels.

(An Interesting Letter from Mrs. Tinker, of Georgia, Concerning Her Grandson.)

MRS. S. L. TINKER, 510 Second street, Macon, Ga., writes:

**"Two years ago my grandson suffered with hemorrhages of the bowels and he was treated by different doctors, but without cure. We quit all other treatment and began to use Peruna, and after the use of three bottles he seemed to be quite well. He is able now to walk six miles to school every day. Peruna has certainly worked wonders for him and I shall not hesitate to recommend it."—Mrs. S. L. Tinker.**

Hemorrhage of the bowels is frequently the result of catarrh of the bowels. The catarrh produces slight ulcers, and these ulcers eat their way through and cut off the small veins or arteries. It is useless to try to stop this hemorrhage without trying to cure the catarrh. This explains why it is that Peruna makes so many cures of hemorrhage of the bowels permanently. Peruna cures the catarrh and thus removes the ulcers. The ulcers being removed, the blood vessels are no longer cut off. The hemorrhage discontinues. This is a much surer, better and more lasting way to cure hemorrhage of the bowels than to use some styptic to attempt to dry up the blood.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

# WHOLE CARLOAD OF THIS FAMILY

## 40 SILVERNAILS AND STUCKS AT UNION STATION.

## ON THEIR WAY TO A REUNION.

**They Are From Michigan and Are to Be Entertained by Relatives in Johnson, Neb.**

Sidetracked under the Union Station trainshed Tuesday is a family carload of farmers and their wives from Hillsdale County, Michigan.

They are en route to Johnson, Neb., to attend a reunion of the Silvernail and Stuck families. There the Silvernails and Stucks to the number of 75 will be entertained by Franklin Stuck, a well-to-do retired farmer.

There are about forty members of the Michigan party. All of them are either named Silvernail or Stuck or have married women of those names.

For several years the reunions have been held annually in Michigan, but this year the Nebraska relatives pleaded for the privilege of entertaining and were given it.

Martin Stuck, a member of the party at Union Station, says that his father, Samuel Stuck, married a Miss Silvernail in Michigan and that all the members of the reunion association are descendants or relatives of these descendants by marriage.

Among the others in the party are Milton L. and S. J. Stuck, P. A. and Alonzo Silvernail and their respective wives. R. J. Raymond, who married into the ranks of the reunionists, is president of the reunion association. He is in charge of the party.

## AMERICANS INVADE ITALY.

**Will Supply Power to Turin From Lake Forty Miles Away.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—An American company has just secured a contract calling for the construction of a hydraulic power plant which is intended to generate power to be transmitted to the city of Turin, northern Italy.

The power station will be built on the Mont Cenis Lake and the energy will be transmitted about forty miles. The initial plant will have a capacity of 5000 horsepower.


# Nugents WEDNESDAY BARGAINS!

## PROMPTLY AT 8 O'CLOCK WE WILL OFFER

### Knit Underwear

**Basement Section**

**Closing Out Lots on Wednesday**

One lot of 12½-cent Women's Cotton Vests, low neck and sleeveless, taped neck and arms. On Wednesday, *5 cents*

One lot of Women's EXTRA SIZE, Ribbed Cotton Vests, low neck, sleeveless, neck and arms taped, the regular 20-cent quality. Wednesday *at 10 cents*

Women's Swiss Ribbed Cotton Vests, fine quality, soft finish, silk taped, the 25-cent kind. Wednesday *at 19 cents*

Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, a fine grade, finished with pearl buttons; a splendid 25-cent quality; some sizes are missing, but if you can find yours, you can buy them Wednesday *for 17 cents*

### Hosiery

**Cheap Lots for Wednesday**

**In Basement Section**

A small lot of Ladies' Fast Black Cotton Hose, seamless, extra spliced heels and toes—a good 12½-cent value. Wednesday *for 9 cents*

Children's Fast Black Cotton Hose, medium weight, double heels and toes; a 10-cent quality. Wednesday *for 5 cents*

Boys' 2x2 Rib, Fast Black Cotton Hose, extra heavy, double knees; a regular 17-cent school stocking. Wednesday *for 10 cents*

A lot of Men's Fast Black Cotton Hose, fine quality, seamless, worth 15 cents a pair. Wednesday *for 10 cents*

### Outing Flannel

**Cheap Lots for Wednesday**

40 pieces Flannelettes, pink and blue checks and stripes; a regular 10-cent quality. Wednesday *at 6 cents*

### Table Oilcloth

**A Special for Wednesday**

50 pieces of 5-4 Table Oil Cloth, plain white; also black veined, worth 20 cents a yard. Wednesday *at 10 cents*

### School Clothing

We will close out tomorrow—Wednesday—in Boys' Clothing Department, on third floor, several lots of Boys' Stylish Suits at a special low price—

A lot of Nugent's regular FIVE DOLLAR Combination Suits; the "indestructible" kind; the coats come single or double-breasted, with two pairs of pants, with double seat and knees; strictly all wool cheviots, in gray, brown or navy blue, in all sizes, from 7 to 16 years; an IDEAL SCHOOL SUIT—
*A Special Bargain Wednesday for $3.48*

Boys' Sweaters, pure lamb's wool, made with the Rugby collar, comes in all the college colors; regular price $1.50—
*Special on Wednesday at 95 cents*

Boys' Shirt Waists, all sizes up to 14 years, the popular percale shirt waist, made by the famous STAR WAIST Company specially for us for a 50-cent waist; we will sell 100 dozen of these regular 50-cent waists
*On Wednesday at 25 cents*

Young Men's and Boys' Long Pant Suits, all sizes, warranted all wool—
*Special on Wednesday at $6.95*

### Notions and Toilet Articles

**Bargains for Wednesday**

**In Basement Section**

**Promptly at 8 O'Clock We Offer**

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| 15-cent Nainsook and Stockinette Dress Shields | *for 7½ cents* |
| 7½-cent Card Patent Hooks and Eyes | *for 2½ cents* |
| 5-cent Hard Rubber Thimbles | *for 1 cent* |
| 5-cent bolt of best Linen Tape | *for 2½ cents* |
| 10-cent Belting (in colors only) | *for 3 cents* |
| 25-cent bolt Velveteen Skirt Binding | *for 10 cents* |
| 15-cent Scissors and Shears | *for 10 cents* |
| 20-cent Elastic Garter Web | *for 10 cents* |
| 8-cent box of Shoe Polish | *for 3 cents* |
| 15-cent Ladies' Dressing Combs | *for 10 cents* |
| 10-cent bottle of Toilet Water | *for 5 cents* |
| 5-cent box of Toothpicks | *for 2½ cents* |
| 5-cent box of Chief Lye | *for 2½ cents* |
| 5-cent cake of Toilet Soap | *for 2½ cents* |
| 8-cent Pencil Tablets | *for 4 cents* |
| 5-cent Pencil Tablets | *for 2½ cents* |
| 5-cent Ink Tablets | *for 2½ cents* |
| 6-cent School Slates | *for 3 cents* |
| 5-cent box Talcum Powder | *for 2 cents* |

### Linens

**These bargains will crowd the Basement section of our Linen Dept. all day Wednesday.**

5-cent All-Linen Doylies, Wednesday *3 for 1 cent*

7½-cent All-Linen Kitchen Toweling, Wednesday, in Basement, *5 cents*

15-cent Huck and Crepe Towels, large size, good quality, Wednesday, in Basement, *10 cents*

25-cent Turkey Red Damask, pretty patterns, fast colors, Wednesday, in Basement *15 cents*

40-cent Full Bleached Irish Table Damask, good, heavy quality, beautiful designs, Wednesday, in Basement, *29 cents*

### White Goods

**Special Wednesday bargains in Basement Section.**

**Promptly at 8 O'Clock We Will Offer**

40-inch India Linen, 40-inch Victoria Lawn, Lace Check Lawns, Plaid and Check Nainsooks, Leno Lawns, Dimities, Lace-Striped Lawns ..... Worth up to 15c a yard. **All at 5 cents**

25-cent Embroidered Swiss Lawns, Wednesday, in Basement, *7½ cents*

Madras, in beautiful designs, linen finish, 38 inches wide, nice for school aprons, regular 20-cent quality, Wednesday, in Basement, *for 10 cents*

### Wash Goods

**Balance of our stock of Summer Wash Goods at give-away prices.**

**In Basement Section**

**Promptly at 8 O'Clock We Will Offer**

10-cent Printed Lawns, fine quality, *at 3½ cents*

12½-cent Printed Batiste Lawns and Dimities in white and linen color grounds *at 5 cents*

15-cent Printed Golf Suitings, fancy stripes, on pink, light blue and tan grounds, *at 7½ cents*

25-cent Scotch Zephyr Ginghams, fine quality, *at 9 cents*

Your last chance on these choice lots.

**B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS COMPANY, Broadway, Washington Av. and St. Charles St.**


# THE LIFE AND DEATH OF OUTLAW HARRY TRACY

## ...By Frank James....

## A FINE MORAL - - A THRILLING STORY

This remarkable story by a remarkable man began in the last Sunday's Post-Dispatch and will appear exclusively in daily installments in the Post-Dispatch, the final chapter being published in the issue of next Sunday.

**SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.**

Harry Tracy, a boy in an eastern village, found a companion in "Desperate Dick," a runaway boy who came to town with a pocketful of dime novels. Association with this boy and the reading of the lurid tales made Harry and his chum, Dave Merrill, the bad boys of the village. They organized a "gang" and began to pilfer in a small way.

Harry Tracy, like all boys, has a sweetheart and wears her picture in his watch. She turns against him because of his evil habits. Harry and Dave Merrill run away from home and are heard from in Colorado, where Harry is said to have killed a cattleman and shot a deputy sheriff.

### CHAPTER III.

**The Convict.**

The City of Portland was overrun with burglars. For months past the most daring nocturnal robberies had been reported to the police department almost every morning. Stores and the dwellings of the rich residents were entered by men skilled in the use of the jimmy, and no safe or strongbox seemed proof against their tools.

Cash, jewelry, family plate—everything of negotiable value fell into the maw of the thieves. Families would awaken at the usual hour and discover that a window or a door had been pried open and midnight visitors had entered, ransacking the house from cellar to attic, going into the sleeping chambers with impunity, and carrying away whatever they found that could be turned into money.

"There's a gang," said the chief of police.

"Yes," assented the lieutenant, "an organized gang."

"I'll wager my month's salary," said the chief, "that Patsy McGoogle has something to do with this wholesale burglary; and it looks to me like some of it may be the work of Billy the Kid."

"That may be, cap'n," remarked a quiet-looking man in citizen's clothes. "But I've got my own opinion as to the gang. I should say there's only two men in it, and that's not so much of a gang, is it? Incidentally, I know where to lay my hands on these two men, but they are desperate characters, and I shall need a squad of good men to help bag 'em."

The chief looked incredulous, but he knew that the speaker was one of the most acute detectives in Oregon.

"Who are the burglars?" he inquired.

"Their real names I don't know," answered Detective Welner; "but the record of one of them I happen to have on file in my head. He shot a man named Hoy, a ranchman or cowboy, in Colorado, and another man is serving a life sentence for the crime. The man in prison was a member of this fellow's gang, however. The man now operating in Portland escaped, killing a deputy in his flight.

"Prior to that time he had been captured by 'tenderfeet' detectives, who played a trick upon him, for robbing a store in Utah.

"He was sent to the Utah penitentiary for eight years. One day, with half a dozen other convicts, he was sent to do some road grading near the prison, in charge of one guard.

"This fellow managed to bend his shovel blade, by main strength, and when the guard went to help him fix it he plucked a revolver from the guard's pocket and got the drop on him.

"The other convicts crowded around, and this man compelled the guard to exchange clothing with him.

"He then marched the entire party, including the guard, as a supposed convict, several miles down the road, and all the prisoners escaped.

"The fugitive then went to Colorado, and, after the murder I have mentioned, he took to the brush.

"Some time later he was captured, so weak from lack of food that he was unable to fire a gun which he had taken from a man he killed.

"They jailed him at Aspen, Colo., and the governor of Utah asked that he be extradited.

"But before this was attended to he escaped from jail, beating the jailer into insensibility with a poker. He then came to Oregon and—"

"It's Harry Garr you're talking about, of course," interrupted the chief.

"Surely you don't mean to say that the notorious Harry Garr is one of the burglars you have spotted?"

"I mean just that, cap'n," responded the detective. "He went by that name in Utah and by another in Colorado.

"One of his aliases, or it may be his real name, is Tracy. He and a fellow named Dave Merrill—"

"Look here," said the chief, excitedly, "if those men are in Portland, and you have located them, it will be a fine catch; but it won't be a picnic to take them."

"There, curled up and trying to worm himself into a position so that he could use his revolver, they found Dave Merrill."

"Give me five men and I'll do it," said the detective, in a quiet manner.

"Where are they?"

"Living in a little house down by the bay with an old woman who is said to be a relative of Merrill."

That night Detective Welner, with five of his fellow-members of the force, proceeded to the little house down by the bay. Every door and window had been located previously, and the leader of the posse posted his men so that no one could escape without being seen.

He knocked at the front door and was admitted by the woman. As he had surmised, a man attempted to leave the house by the back door as he stepped into the front room. Seeing the officers there the man turned back into the house.

After a brief parley the old woman said: "You can search every room; there's nobody here but me."

The leader called two of his men into the house and a search was made. Apparently no one was there. But the acute detective observed that in a certain small room the old woman appeared nervous.

The officers re-entered this room. Its chief piece of furniture was an old-fashioned chest of drawers, unusually large.

The officers opened two of the drawers and found only a quantity of wearing apparel. They opened the lower drawer.

There, curled up and trying to worm herself into a position so that he could use his revolver, they found David Merrill.

"Harry Tracy has betrayed us!" the old woman cried. "If you want to capture him I can get him to come here."

By an agreement with the officers she sent word to Tracy that Merrill wanted to see him.

Tracy arrived shortly, only one of the detectives being visible. This officer was introduced to him as a friend of Merrill's brother and he suspected nothing.

"Show me around the town a little, Mr. Tracy," the stranger requested. "I've just got into the city."

"Sure," assented Tracy, and he went out for a walk with his new acquaintance.

Presently, however, Tracy began to grow suspicious. The detective overdid his part.

"See that train?" remarked Tracy, as a freight pulled by.

"Yes," the detective answered.

"Well, so long; I'm going to take it." Whereupon he swung himself into the engine.

Detective Weiner reached for his revolver. Tracy fired once at him and the officer fell, severely wounded; but Weiner was game. He arose and telephoned the news up the track.

With his revolver at the engineer's ear Tracy ordered that the train pull out at full speed.

The result was that Tracy was taken after he left the train, being knocked down by a big butcher whom he tried to pass on a run.

"Next time," growled Tracy, "I won't be so easy."

Tracy and Merrill were sent to the Oregon penitentiary in the little city of Salem.

Merrill's sentence was for 13 years, but Tracy was condemned to spend 20 years in the prison, the extra seven being added for shooting the detective.

The two men were set to work in the stove foundry. Every morning at 6 o'clock they arose and cleaned up their cells. Half an hour later they fell into the lockstep and marched to the great, ill-smelling hall where the convicts eat their meals.

A breakfast of black coffee, warmed-over potatoes, greasy bacon and water was eaten in absolute silence from tin dishes placed upon long wooden tables. The men sat on wooden benches, close together.

They were served by silent men in stripes, like themselves. Each man lifted his tin cup for coffee as a convict passed behind the line carrying a huge coffee-pot. There was no sugar, no cream.

Cream and sugar are not a part of the convict's fare. They are the luxuries of liberty, which the convict cannot afford.

The bread was not buttered. Butter is another of the luxuries of liberty. It is not one of the necessaries of life. Men in stripes, sitting silent in long rows on wooden benches, clad in a miserable monotony of stripes, receive only the necessaries of life. They have forfeited the luxuries.

It is a part of their punishment.

After the scant breakfast, Tracy and Merril again fell into the lockstep. The long line, like a great striped serpent, wormed its way out into the courtyard paved with stone, across to a stone building inside the stone wall, in stony silence.

Here the striped serpent, like the jim-snake of the plains, fell apart. Each joint, each convict, went to his appointed place.

The machinery began to whirr and whizz and the silence was broken.

But all day long it was a miserable monotone of noise, a machine-made noise, a maniacs murmur of wheels.

For a convict to speak to his fellow meant bread-and-water diet, the dungeon, perhaps the whipping post.

At noon again the serpentine lockstep line, and again the scant fare, and again the stone building inside the stone wall.

At dusk again the lockstep, the scant meal, the stone cell, and silence.

Stone is hard. The life is hard, the work is hard. Tracy and Merrill, fresh from freedom of the streets and the green fields and the blue skies, for their misdeeds were made over into men of the stone age.

In the cell only, for a limited time before being ordered to their hard cots, the men are permitted to speak, each to his cellmate. Speech is one of the necessaries of life. Without it men will go mad in time.

"When is your time up?" Tracy inquired of his cellmate, Jim White, one evening while he was pasting upon the stone wall of his cell a little photograph, cut to a circle.

"Who's the calico?" inquired White.

"It's a girl I used to know—back home," said Tracy, almost angrily. "I asked you when you got out?"

"A month from today."

"Take me along?"

"Don't see how I can," replied White.

"But I see," Harry Tracy said. "And I've got a pal here—Dave Merrill; works with us in the stove foundry. You are to take him along, too."

"What's your game, Tracy?"

"Have you been here for years and never noticed how weak the guard is on the south wall at night?" Tracy asked, contemptuously. "It would be easy for a man to get into this pen from the outside."

"But how the — is that going to help a man get out of it from the inside?"

Tracy laughed, a cold, harsh laugh.

"Say, Whitey, you've got things to learn yet. How would you like to come back to this ranch for about five minutes, after you're let free next month?"

"Wouldn't like it for a cent," Wright responded. "I'm not fond of this here corral, Mr. Tracy; are you?"

"No more than you are; and, what's more, I'm going to give it the go-by. And you're going to help me. If you don't I'll see that you're potted before you enjoy a week of glad rags. I reckon you've heard of Mr. Harry Tracy before you met me, haven't you?"

The other convict shuddered. Just then the corridor guard called "Lights out," and Tracy, grumbling at the interruption, which meant silence for the night, blew out his flickering candle.

Two or three times that night Harry Tracy chuckled, and the guard thought he was laughing in his sleep.

"Dreaming of home, poor devil, maybe," said the guard to himself.

But the guard was not acquainted with Mr. Harry Tracy.

(To be continued in the Post-Dispatch tomorrow. The next chapter tells of the escape.

Sunday Excursion on the Big Four Route Aug. 31 to Bunker Hill, Pana, Litchfield, Hillsboro, Shelbyville, Mattoon and Way Stations. Tickets, Broadway and Chestnut Sts. and Station. Trains leave 8:32 a. m.

## STATE KNIGHTS TO GATHER.

**Catholic Organization Will Meet Here Sept. 9.**

The eleventh annual convention of the Catholic Knights of America, Missouri Council, will be held Sept. 9 and 10 in St. Louis. Much interest is being taken in this gathering and in the convention of the Knights of Father Mathew, which is to be held in Kansas City, Kan., Oct. 13, 14 and 15.

The delegates to the St. Louis gathering of Catholic Knights will meet on the morning of September 9 at the water tower, Twentieth street and East Grand avenue, and march to the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Succor, Twentieth and Linton streets. High mass will be celebrated at 9:30 o'clock, and the convention will open immediately after in the parish school hall.

An afternoon session, a trolley ride and a visit to a theater or a summer garden will be made the first day and night, and on the second day a requiem mass will be held, and business will be concluded at the afternoon session.

The officers of the order are: Archbishop Kane, spiritual director; B. F. Brinker, president; Charles Welsch, first vice-president; B. Brueggemann, second vice-president; Leon Yealy, third vice-president; M. J. E. Hartman, secretary, and Andrew Zipt, treasurer.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

*The tax bills for the current year have been placed in my hands for collection, and may be paid at my office in the New City Hall on and after September 2d, 1902.*

*A rebate at the rate of eight per cent per annum from the date of payment to the 31st day of December next, will be allowed on city taxes to all persons making payment of said tax bills on before the first day of October next.*

L. F. HAMMER, JR.
*St. Louis, August 26th, 1902.* *Collector of the*

# SIDENER'S METHODS PLEASED PASTOR

**REV. CARROLL SHARED BENCH WITH JUDGE THIS MORNING.**

## DEPLORES NEED OF COURTS

**Remarked Upon Expedition With Which the Magistrate Got at the Heart of the Cases.**

Rev. Irby Carroll, a Congregationalist minister of Dallas, Tex., shared the bench of the City Hall police court Tuesday morning with Judge Sidener.

He listened attentively to the evidence and the judge's comments in each case. After adjournment he said to the Post-Dispatch:

"What I have seen and heard here this morning has been to me pathetic as well as interesting. I could not help thinking as these women and men were brought before the bar that each of them was some mother's child. And that was sad to contemplate.

"In the majority of cases I was interested more by the methods of Judge Sidener than by the evidence. The expedition with which he got to the heart of the trouble in of the cases brought before was surprising to me. He seemed to analyze each case thoroughly before I could get an idea of what it was about.

"It was the first time I ever was in a police court, and I am glad I attended the session. I think I shall use what I saw and heard there in a sermon when I return home. The crowded condition of the police court docket is, to my mind, an argument for the observance for the law of Christ. If people obeyed the law of Christ there would seldom be any need for police courts.

"Throughout the session this morning I had in mind the biblical verse: O, Israel, thou hast destroyed theyself; but in me is thine help.'

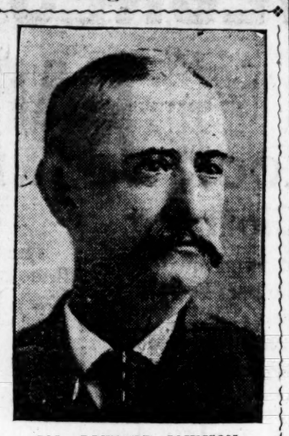
"These men and women whom I saw this morning had destroyed themselves."

Rev. Mr. aCrroll is a graduate of Smith Academy in the class of '85. He studied in law in St. Louis, but before he was admitted decided to devote his life to the ministry. He was ordained in Texas. At Smith Academy he was a fellow-student of City Attorney Perry Post Taylor, whose guest he was Tuesday morning.

### Parish Party Postponed.

St. Bridget's Parish lawa party has been postponed from Tuesday until Thursday evening because of the uncertainty of the weather. It will be held Thursday evening in the school hall at Jefferson avenue and Stoddard street. Dancing and euchre will be the amusements.

## This Official Seized an Alleged Wifebeater



COL. RICHARD JOHNSON.

# COL. JOHNSON HELD ON TO A PRISONER

**PROSECUTOR WOULD NOT TURN HIS MAN LOOSE.**

## CAPTIVE WAS NOT A GIANT

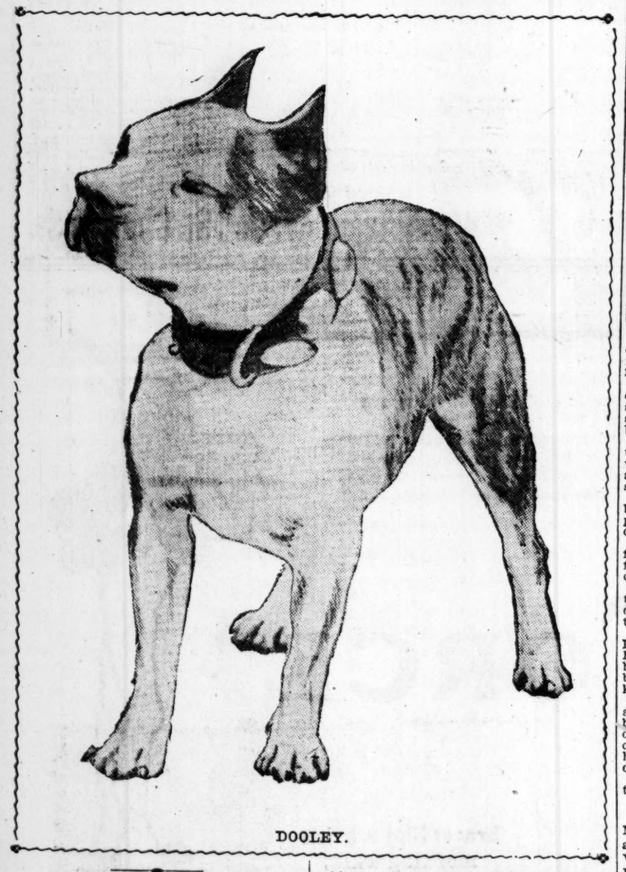
**He Weighed About 110 Pounds and Was So Small He Almost Wriggled Away.**

Col. Richard Johnson, assistant prosecuting attorney, made George Redding, charged with wife beating, a prisoner in his office Monday afternoon and held him securely until a warrant against him had been filled out and a policeman had taken him into custody.

Redding entered the warrant office, saying that he expected his wife to apply for a warrant against him, and that he wanted his side of the case to be heard. Just then the woman entered to make the application. Redding threatened his wife, and Johnson seized him. Telling Attorney Fickeissen to fill out a warrant, Col. Johnson held the man until a policeman arrived.

Redding is about 5 feet 5 inches in height and weighs 110 pounds.

# THIS DOG RODE FROM NEW YORK TO ST. LOUIS ON A PULLMAN PASS



DOOLEY.

**"Dooley," Mrs. David R. Calhoun's Pet, Was "Mr. Dooley" When Application for His Ttransportation Was Made.**

"Dooley," Mrs. David R. Calhoun's brown and white Boston terrier, is St. Louis' only canine resident that travels on a Pullman pass.

Mrs. Calhoun's pet quadruped rode from New York to St. Louis, with stopovers at Atlantic City and Hot Springs, Va., on the same style of pass that furnished transportation for herself and her husband.

It differed from their pass only in that it bore the name "Mr. Dooley" where theirs read "Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Calhoun."

It's not a bad story how the pass happened to be made out that way.

Mrs. Calhoun, who is a bride of only a year, spent the Easter holidays with her father, Dr. B. T. Whitmore of New York City, who is a prominent physician and editor of the New York Medical Journal.

While Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun were in New York she saw the dog "Dooley" and purchased him. He had made a record as a winner of bench show prizes in the three years of his existence.

When the time for their return to St. Louis approached Dr. Whitmore wrote to a railroad friend in Washington for passes. At the urgent request of his daughter he added a request for transportation for the dog.

ransportation
"Mr. Dooley."

railroad man promptly sent the
and Mrs. Calhoun, but apologized
bility to furnish any transporta-
dog.
Whitmore, ever eager to please
thought out a happy plan.
in to the same railroad man
asking transportation for "Mr. Dooley" to St. Louis with stopover privileges at Atlantic City and Hot Springs.

The transportation was forthcoming as quickly as the mails could carry it.

When Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun boarded the train the Boston terrier with them bore about his neck a brass plate on which the name "Dooley" was brilliantly resplendent.

He was squeezed past the ebony guards of the Pullman and into the Calhoun section. When the conductor appeared there Mr. Calhoun handed him the three pases.

"Where's Mr. Dooley?" queried the conductor.

Whereupon Mrs. Calhoun produced the bean-eating terrier to the amazement of the ticket-puncher. He seemed to enjoy the joke as much as the Calhouns and made no effort to interfere with the "third party" to the proceedings.

The same scene was enacted on each Pullman occupied during the trip.

Since "Dooley" arrived in St. Louis the effects of his Pullman journey have been distinctly apparent.

True to his Boston instinct, he developed aristocratic tendencies at once. He has declined to associate with any of the dogs in the vicinity of the Calhoun residence, 3744 Lindell boulevard.

He scoffs at the pastimes of ordinary dogs, such as lounging about the family stable. Instead, he seeks the companionship of the art treasures and the bric-a-brac in the Calhoun parlors.

His favorite diversion is coaching. From the top of the Calhoun tally-ho he surveys with infinite scorn the plebian dogs that are compelled to travel the dusty, muddy streets.

No dog meat from the neighborhood butcher will his blue-blood appetite appease. Only dog biscuits of the most delicate variety tickle his epicurean palate.

Occasionally, however, he chases the family cat up a tree in the back yard just for exercise. In this alone is he like other dogs.

Mrs. Calhoun approves of his exclusive tastes. She regards him as a supreior dog and declares that he will prove it at the first bench show held in St. Louis.

"His fine points," Mrs. Calhoun to'd the Post-Dispatch, "are his neck and his tail. His neck is thick and there is a lump in the back of it that is considered a fine point by the dog fanciers. Then there is a natural kink in his tail which they also approve."

Mrs. Calhoun is very fond of "Dooley" and he has become well-known on the boulevards from his successive appearances on top of the Calhoun tally-ho by the side of the charming matron whom Mr. Calhoun brought from New York to preside over his beautiful home.

Hoshino, a Japanese house servant, is the immediate custodian of "Dooley."


### City of Providence

Makes family excursion every Tuesday and Thursday to Alton and Piasa; every Wednesday and Friday for Montesano. Leaves Olive street 9:30. Returns 6 p. m. Round trip, 25c.


## PERILS OF FISHERMEN.

**Two Were Never Found and Others Were Lost Several Days.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—The fishing schooner Stanley, which has returned from Bering Sea, reports that on May 18 Second Mate Manuel Codaza was lost during a storm in Bristol Bay. His dory, waterlogged and empty, was picked up several days later. On June 8 four dories were hidden from sight by a dense fog. One of them, that of Martin Socfin, was never een again, and Scofin is supposed to be lost. Another of the missing dories, containing John Quist, was picked up by the Stanley after an absence of four days and three nights. Quist was feeble from hunger and exposure. The other boats contained Hans Larsen and Olaf Olsen of this city, who had shipped for the voyage out of curiosity to see the Arctic. They were lost in the fog for ten days and nights. After being tossed about for four days they made land and lived on raw fish until picked up by the Stanley.


# INDIGESTION,

Dyspepsia, Flatulency, Constipation or any other ailment arising from a weak or disordered stomach can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It has a record of fifty years of such cures back of it, and we therefore urge every sufferer to try it. It will cure you. The genuine has our Private Stamp over the neck of the bottle.

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.


## CZAROVITZ IS ENGAGED.

**Rumor Says He Will Wed Duchess Cecile Augustine Marie.**

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 26.—Gossip is going the rounds to the effect that the Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch, known outside his own country as the Czarovitch, is engaged to marry the second daughter of the Grand Duchess Anastasia of Mecklenburg Schwerin, the Duchess Cecile Augustine Marie, who is of the same refined, delicate type of beauty as her sister, who married Prince Christian of Denmark.

The Grand Duke Michael will celebrate his twenty-fourth birthday Nov. 24 next and Duchess Cecile will enter her seventeenth year a'ter this month.


# Simmons Hardware Co.

# "The Recollection of Quality Remains Long After the Price Is Forgotten"

**First, quality—then price—is the rule governing all of our buying, large purchases making very low prices possible. Added to this, our rule to cheerfully correct any real or apparent wrong in any transaction and you have the reasons for the perfect confidence with which our ever-increasing list of patrons regard this store.**

**An Expert Angler** realizes that half the pleasure of fishing depends on first-class tackle. We carry the largest and most complete stock of fishing tackle in America, and can supply everything from the small boy's outfit to that of the veteran enthusiast.

We mention a few special bargains, some samples, some remnants of lines—all priced much lower than usual.

**Fishing Rods**—Oconomowoc Rods—2-piece Japanese Bamboo, 6 feet, nickel-plated trimmings, double-hole metal tip, trumpet guides; were $1.50; now **$1.15.**

Divine Northern Lake Rod—2-piece Calcutta Bamboo; 8 feet, independent butt, German silver trimmings, solid cork grip, trumpet guides, silk wrappings; was $3.00; now **$2.25.**

Divine Special—2-piece Japanese Bamboo, 6½ feet; extra tip, German silver trimmings, cork grip, trumpet guides, silk wrappings; were $3.50; now **$2.90.**

African Steel Cane—3-piece, extra tip; nickel-plated trimming, mineral-lined guides and tip, cork grip, 6½ and 7½ feet; were $4.00; now **$3.25.**

Wood Fly Rod—3-piece, dark ash, 9½ feet; reel bands below hand; **25c.**

Fly Rod—Split Bamboo, 8½ to 10½ feet; regular $3.00, now **$2.50**; regular $3.50, now **$2.90.**

**Minnow Buckets**—Never-Die Floating Bucket, 6, 8 and 12 quarts; regularly 75c to $1.25; price, **50c** each.

Ask to see the new Fisk Aerating Minnow Bucket, **$5.00.**

**Reels**—Quadruple Multiplying Reel, nickel-plated, click and drag; were $1.25; now **$1.00.**

40-yard Brass Reel, double multiplying, with click and drag, **40c.**

**Preservaline**—Saves your fish, birds and game—per 1-pound can, **75c.**

**Folding Live-Bait Boxes**, were $1.00, now **75c.**

Simmons Hardware Co.
Broadway & St. Charles

*Dove Shooting Season is Now Open.*
*Prairie Chicken Season Opens Sept. 1st.*

Ask in Sporting Goods Store for free copy of Game Laws, revised to 1902, giving brief information regarding laws in ten states.

### Sample Guns at Bargain Prices.

We buy more guns than any other house, and we sell more. We buy cheaper and sell cheaper. We carry the largest stock of American made guns in the country. Just now we have a few that are a little scratched and rubbed, having been used as samples, that we offer at much below regular prices.

12-gauge Shot Guns—
Were 17.00, 24.00, 24.50, 27.50, 33.75, 67.50,
**Now 16.00. 20.00. 20.00. 24.50. 30.00. 47.25.**
Several Tip-Up Action Rifles, were $14.00, for **$7.00** each.

### Table Tennis.

Already there is perceptible shortening of the days and the increased demand for Table Tennis indicates that this delightful evening game will be more popular this season than ever. We have a splendid stock now from which you may select a set to suit your ideas.

Two Wood Rackets, 4 balls, net and posts, **$1.25**; 6 balls, **$1.50.**

Two Leather-Covered Rackets, London Special, 4 balls, net and posts, **$2.00.**

Two Sandpaper-Covered, London Special Rackets, 4 balls, net and posts, **$2.50.**

Two Vellum Rackets, 6 balls, net and posts, **$3.00.**

Two Wood Rackets, cork handles, 6 balls, extension posts and nets, **$4.50.**

Two Burnt Wood Rackets, 6 balls, well-finished brass and oak posts, **$4.50.**

Two fine Vellum Rackets, 6 balls, fine posts and net, **$4.50.**

Two best Vellum Rackets, 12 balls, fine brass posts and net. **$5.00.**

Two fine Sheepskin Rackets, 6 balls, handsome posts—superior quality, **$7.50.**

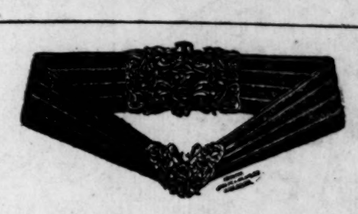
Two double-face leather-covered Rackets, handsome posts, balls and net, **$7.50.**

Four double-face leather-covered Rackets, 1 dozen balls, handsome posts and nets; put up in polished walnut cases, **$10.00.**

**Rotary Fans.**

(First Floor.)

Regular electric fan style blades, which revolve rapidly by pressing a thumbspring and produce a good breeze. A pleasing novelty. Have been 10c all summer; all that remain **5c** each.



**Royal Extension Belts.**

(Leather Goods Store, First Floor).

Finest quality Silk Moire, with oxidized front and back buckles of artistic design—a piece of elastic under the back buckle insures comfort to wearer; they conform to the figure and give pointed effect in front—were $2.25, $2.75 and $3.00—choice ..... **$1.00**

**Gentlemen's Leather Belts.**

In Seal, Walrus and Carved Leather—were 75c to $2.00; choice ..... **50c**

**Traveling Sets.**

(Cutlery Store, First Floor.)

We have a large assortment of Traveling Sets, all compactly arranged in seal leather cases. One set, containing military brushes, comb, tooth brush, nail brush, nail file and corn knife, only..... **$2.75**

Others up to **$18.50**

**Chatelaine and Wrist Bags.**

(Cutlery Store, First Floor.)

Chatelaines in German silver filigree designs, with handsome clasps of same material, several sizes, were $1.75 to $5.00, now ..... **$1.00 to $2.50**

Wrist Bags, cut steel beads on gray or black crocheted surface, were $1.50 and $2.00—choice ..... **75c**

**Delicious Summer Desserts.**

To many ladies, the question of summer desserts is a trying one. Attend the daily lectures and demonstrations in our House Furnishing Store and learn how the Wonder Ice Cream Freezer removes the difficulty. Following is the Menu for this week:

| | A. M.—10 to 12. | P. M.—2 to 4. |
|---|---|---|
| Wednesday | Fruit Juice Ice Cream | Ginger Sherbet |
| Thursday | Peach Ice Cream | Coffee Frappe |
| Friday | Peppermint Stick Candy Ice Cream | Port Wine Sherbet |
| Saturday—10 to 12:30—Almond Ice Cream and Frozen Peaches. | | |

*Special Prices on Freezers This Week.*

Simmons Hardware Co.
Broadway & St. Charles


# RESCUED HIS RIVAL AND WON A BRIDE

**PECULIAR SEQUEL TO AQUATIC CONTEST FOR GIRL.**

## THREE EVENTS SCHEDULED

**High Dive Was Last, but Unlucky Fall of One Contestant Nearly Caused Tragedy.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Aug. 26.—A spirited contest for the hand of Miss Lulie Bach, who is known as the belle of Germantown, was settled this afternoon in a novel manner.

Miss Bach had two suitors, John Stull, who lives at Brook and Market streets, and Daniel Cokely, boatkeeper for the Louisville Boat Club.

Miss Bach reciprocated the affections of each, it is said, dividing her attentions as impartially as possible. Both were pressing for a decision, but she could not make up her mind. Finally she told her suitors that they must settle it for themselves.

Cokely suggested an aquatic contest. Stull agreed.

Three event were decided upon. One was to be a swim under the water, the heat to go to the one swimming farthest. The second was to be a hundred-yard swim. The third was to be a high dive from the top of the boat clubhouse.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock was the time set for the contest. Miss Bach was on hand with a number of friends. Capt. William Devan of the life-saving station, agreed to act as referee. The contest was noised about the river front and attracted a crowd that cheered the contestants vigorously. Cokely won the first heat. The second was won by Stull.

Then came the dive. Cokely thought the girl would be his bride, for he had been diving from the clubhouse for several years. He turned to kiss his hand to her, and as he did so he lost his balance and fell into the water.

Stull was compelled to dive after him, and rescued him with little difficulty. Stull was declared the winner and Miss Bach agreed.

The wedding day was set for Aug. 12, and all who witnessed the contest were invited.


# BLOOD POISON

Primary, Secondary or Tertiary [Syphilitic] Blood Poison permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for the same price under same guaranty. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, sore throat, pimples, copper colored spots, ulcers on any part of the body, hair or eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON that we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. $500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs and 100-page book sent sealed. Home branch office. Do not address as follows

COOK REMEDY COMPANY,
1587 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.


## CAR STRUCK AN ICE WAGON.

**Collision of Suburban Line Car Frightened Morning Passengers.**

An east bound Suburban car and an ice wagon collided at Twenty-first and Wash streets at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning, and the ice wagon and team came to grief.

Car No. 652, in charge of Motorman Tim Collins, was speeding rapidly down town. The car was crowded with passengers going to work. James L. Vaughan of 1121 North Twenty-first street, was driving a two-horse ice wagon. The wagon was being driven across the track, and Collins thought it would clear the track before he reached it.

The ice wagon was proverbially slow, and the speed of the car was exceedingly fast. The track was slick from the rains, and when Collins saw that an accident was inevitable he could not reduce the speed.

The crash came, and great it was. The passengers, many of whom were women, were frightened, and many made a dash for the door.

The ice wagon was wrecked and one of the horses was so badly injured that a policeman was called to kill it.

The wagon was damaged $250 and the horse was valued at $125. The car was slightly damaged.


# CRIS-PO

**Moderation in the appointment of food and drink is unquestionably the most important requisite to the attainment of vigorous health. A dish of Cris-Po served with cream or fruit juice makes a delicious food with which to start the morning meal. Cris-Po, as the name implies, consists of crisp, tender, delicious flakes made of whole wheat and barley. It is made naturally sweet from the use of fruit sugar. You will never know how good it is until you try it.**

**AT THE GROCER'S.**


## HOPKINS FUNERAL TUESDAY

**French Baroness Who Was Killed by a Car Will Be Buried in Bellefontaine.**

The funeral of Mrs. Marie Antoinette Hopkins, the French baroness who was killed Sunday evening by an Olive street car, will take place Tuesday afternoon from the family residence to St. George's Church at 2 o'clock. The interment will be at Bellefontaine.

The evening of the accident Mrs. Hopkins and a friend were returning from attending a sermon by Dr. Niccolls.

Mrs. Hopkins was 63 years old. She was the daughter of Marquis de St. Croix, and was born a marchioness in her own right. By her marriage in 1860 to Baron Von Renthel she became a baroness.

At one time in her life she was superintendent of schools in the Argentine Republic. In 1890 she was married to Edward A. Hopkins, ambassador of the United States. He died several years ago, after losing his large fortune. After his death Mrs. Hopkins came to St. Louis, where she taught in a private school. Five children survive her. None of them except the youngest, Constantine L. Von Renthel, is in St. Louis. Two are in Europe and two in South America.


Sulphogen relieves all stomach and bowel troubles. Write for booklet. 1234 Olive st.


## PETER S. HOE IS DEAD.

**Last Survivor of Original Printing Press Manufacturing Firm.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Peter S. Hoe, the last surviving member of the original R. Hoe & Co., manufacturers of printing presses, is dead at Upper Montclair, N. J., from heart failure.

Mr. Hoe was born in New York 81 years ago. In 1890 he retired from the firm and has lived since then in New Jersey.

## POCKET WAS AMPUTATED.

**Thieves Performed Operation on a Physician's Coat.**

Dr. A. A. Allison of Decatur, Ill., was a victim of St. Louis pickpockets Monday night.

The doctor had gone on an excursion on the City of Providence, it was 11 o'clock Monday night when the boat landed. In leaving the boat there was a crush and the doctor was jostled by a crowd of young men. When he got out of the crowd he observed that his coat pocket had been cut out, and that his pocketbook had been removed. The purse contained $14 in paper money. Dr. Allison reported the theft to the police, but said that he could not give a description of the men.


# Rheumatism

The liniment bottle and flannel strip are familiar objects in nearly every household. They are the weapons that have been used for generations to fight old Rheumatism, and are about as effective in the battle with this giant disease as the blunderbuss of our forefathers would be in modern warfare.

Rheumatism is caused by an acid, sour condition of the blood. It is filled with acrid, irritating matter that settles in the joints, muscles and nerves, and liniments and oils nor nothing else applied externally can dislodge these gritty, corroding particles. They were deposited there by the blood and can be reached only through the blood. Rubbing with liniments sometimes relieve temporarily the aches and pains, but these are only symptoms which are liable to return with every change of the weather; the real disease lies deeper, the blood and system are infected. Rheumatism cannot be radically and permanently cured until the blood has been purified, and no remedy does this so thoroughly and promptly as S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and sends a stream of rich, strong blood to the affected parts, which dissolves and washes out all foreign materials, and the sufferer obtains happy relief from the torturing pains.

SSS

S. S. S. contains no potash or other mineral, but is a perfect vegetable blood purifier and most exhilarating tonic. Our physicians will advise, without charge, all who write about their case, and we will send free our special book on Rheumatism and its treatment.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

# WAS BOY SLAIN BY EMPLOYER?

## Posse Searches Forest for Lad's Body.

## ACCUSED MAN ARRESTED

### TRAVELING HORSE TRADER SAYS HE IS INNOCENT.

### Youth, Who Camped Near, Says He Went Away With Bag After Whipping the Lad and Soon Returned Without Him.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

DE SOTO, Mo., Aug. 26.—The posse that is searching the woods near this place for the body of a 17-year-old boy known as George has not yet found any trace of it.

It is searching every nook of the forest where he disappeared and in which many believe he was murdered.

Charles Fulkerson is in jail here, charged with murdering the boy. He is a traveling horse trader who was camping in the woods where the search is being made at the time the boy disappeared.

James Harrington and his 14-year-old son, Harry, also horse traders, who have a tent near Fulkerson's and who were arrested with him as accessories, have been released after impounding all their horses as security.

The theory is that the boy was murdered and his body hidden under a rock.

If the body is found and the murder theory established the jail guard will be strengthened to prevent the execution of threats of mob violence against Fulkerson.

The boy's family name is not known. Fulkerson says he employed the boy three months ago at Kennett, Mo., and since then he had been traveling with him in their covered wagon. Fulkerson and Harrington are not partners, but met on the road near here a few days ago and have been camping about 50 yards apart.

The boy has been missing since Thursday night. The story told by Harrington's son is that the boy had not received his wages for some time, and he asked Harrington if he could not take one of Fulkerson's horses for the debt. When Fulkerson heard of the inquiry, it is said, he became angry.

That night Harrington was aroused by Fulkerson beating the boy with a whip. He protested, and Fulkerson told him to mind his own business if he did not care to get into trouble himself.

Harrington says Fulkerson then put the boy on his horse behind him and rode away up the Valley Mines road, first taking the boy's knife away from him, saying:

"I will not give you a chance to cut me."

That is the last known of the boy. Fulkerson returned an hour and a half later.

When the neighbors learned of the disappearance, excitement ran high and threats of violence were made.

Fulkerson absolutely denies that he killed the boy, as do also Harrington and his son.


**Wedding Invitations.**

All the latest styles and correct forms in finest engraved wedding stationery. Mail orders given prompt attention. Samples and prices free on request.

MERMOD & JACCARD'S,
On Broadway, Cor. Locust st.


## WIFE DANCED ON SUNDAY.

### This, With Other Habits, Named as Ground for Divorce.

Alexander Parquette sued for divorce from Emma Parquette Tuesday morning. He alleges that on Nov. 30, 1899, she left him and went to Omaha, Neb., remaining away against his protests for a whole year; that she has often remained away from home until late hours of the night and would never explain her absence when she returned, and that she frequented dances on Sunday nights.

He says they separated on Aug. 10 and names a co-respondent. He asks for the custody of their one child. The couple were married June 20, 1887.

## MAN CLAIMED NEGRO BLOOD.

John Schrump and Ida Wilson, both of St. Louis, applied to Deputy County Clerk George Caughlan at East St. Louis Tuesday morning for a marriage license. The woman was very black and the man was very white. He said that he had some negro blood in his veins, but the clerk had doubts and refused to issue the license to them. They said they would go to Belleville and try to get a license there.

# PRESIDENT OFF FOR THE EAST

### ROOSEVELT LEAVES MASSACHUSETTS FOR MAINE.

## WARMLY GREETED BY ALL

### Spoke of the Navy and Its Needs to the People at Secretary Moody's Home.

LOWELL, Mass., Aug. 26.—For 25 minutes today this city entertained the President of the United States and then watched him depart for New Hampshire and Maine, giving him a hearty cheer as the train pulled out. The President left Boston at 8:35 o'clock. On the run to this place the towns of West Medford, Winchester and North Billerica turned out immense crowds and gave loud cheers as the train passed. At each place the President appeared on the platform and acknowledged the greetings.

The special train arrived here at 9:19 a. m. and its arrival was signaled by the firing of a presidential salute by the militia, and the G. A. R. performed guard duty. The sidewalks about the station were thronged with people, and the common, which was the scene of the real reception, was black with humanity. Acting Mayor Badger and a committee of the city government met the President and party at the station and were presented by Charles M. Allen, former governor of the state. After a few words of welcome the party took carriages and drove rapidly to the common through streets arched with bunting and lined with cheering people.

From at the speaker's stand the President was presented to the people in a sentence by the acting mayor.

At Haverhill the President said:

"Naturally, at the home of Secretary Moody I should like to say a word or two about the navy. You see that when one Massachusetts man would leave the navy department I had to find another Massachusetts man to take his place. I think that whenever we touch on the navy we are sure of a hearty response from any American audience. We are just as sure of such a response out of the mountains and great plains of the West as upon the Atlantic or Pacific seaboards.

"The entire country is vitally interested in the navy, because an efficient navy of an adequate size is not only the best guarantee of peace, but it is also the surest means for seeing that if war does come the result shall be honorable to our good name and favorable to our national interests. Any really great nation must be peculiarly sensitive to two things—stain on the national honor at home and disgrace to the national arms abroad. Our honor at home, our honor in domestic and internal affairs is at all times in our own keeping, and depends simply upon the national possession of an awakened public conscience. But the only way to make our honor as affected, not by our own deeds, but by the deeds of others, is by readiness in advance."

# MUST CHANGE AT TRANSFER POINT

### RULES OF TRANSIT CO. EXPLAINED BY SUPT. GRANT.

In the case of John A. Pohlman, charged with disturbing the peace of W. J. Baker, a St. Louis Transit Co. conductor, Judge Sidener discharged the defendant because Baker admitted that there had been no violence offered him.

Pohlman had boardd a Cherokee car one block from an intersecting point on the railway line and presented a transfer in payment for his fare, which Conductor Baker refused to accept. Pohlman refused to pay another fare and Baker had him arrested.

General Superintendent John Grant declares that transfers can only be accepted by conductors when presented at point of transfer punched thereon, and boarding a car one block, more or less, away from a transfer point invalidates the transfer. Baker said he was simply obeying instructions in refusing to accept the ticket offered by Pohlman.

## GEN. MILES HAS PERMISSION.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, Aug. 26.—Gen. Miles is going to the Philippines with the President's approval.

Secretary Cortelyou said last night:

"Gen. Miles is going to the Philippine Islands, with the permission of the President, to inspect army conditions there."


# THE MEYER STORE — COR. BROADWAY & WASHINGTON — Hour Sale Wednesday — THE MEYER STORE — COR. BROADWAY & WASHINGTON

**GREATER AND GREATER GROW THE HOUR SALES—IT'S THE LAST WEEK OF THE SUMMER SALES AND SOME LOTS ARE TO BE CLOSED OUT AT RIDICULOUS PRICES—SO BE ON HAND EVERY HOUR OF THE DAY—THE MEYER STORE DOES NOT DISAPPOINT.**

**Commencing at 8 o'clock**

LADIES' SILK LISLE VESTS, pure white, 50c quality—last of stock—3 for 50c.

WASH KNEE PANTS, 25c, for boys—worth up to $1.

LADIES' $2 DRAWERS, fine embroidery and lace trimmed, 75c.

LADIES' 25c APRONS, white, some soiled, 5c.

MATTING REMNANTS, worth 19c to 50c yard—choice, 10c yard.

VELVET RIBBONS, black and colors—10 yards, 45c—bolt for 19c.

BLEACHED HUCK TOWELS, 6c kind for 2c.

MEN'S COAT SHIRTS, made of madras, sold for one dollar—at 8 o'clock, 3 for the price of one—3 for $1.

25c Imported Capers, 15c per bottle.

Munyon's Witch Hazel Soap, small size, 2c.

Hook and Eyes, Patent Hump, 10 cards for 5c.

LADIES' 25c HOSE, Heavy Lisle Thread Hose, worth 25c, heavy weight and some have slight imperfections, 10c.

25c Chatelaine Bags, brown and gray suede, 10c.

25c CUFF BUTTONS, 9c—1 lot Ladies' and Men's gold-plated jeweled cuff buttons, worth 25c pair, 2c.

50c pound can of Colman's Mustard, 39c.

Silk Hose Supporters, worth $1.50, but soiled, 25c.

69c Stamped Pillow Shams, 25c pair.

Men's Handkerchiefs, worth 10c each, hemstitched, 3 for 10c.

39c Taffeta Silk, all colors, 19c.

**Commencing at 9 o'clock**

SOLID GOLD RINGS for ladies, worth up to $1.50, at 25c.

25c AND 50c SCISSORS—Your choice of our entire stock, 10c.

HAND CROCHET COLLARS, $4, $5 and $6.98 ones for $1.98.

SILK MERCERIZED PORTIERES, odd stripes, worth $4 and $5 up to $8 a pair—$1.49 a strip.

$2 and $3 UNDERSKIRTS, embroidery trimmed, 98c.

59c WOOL HENRIETTA, silk finished, for 25c.

40c bottle Anchor Pickles, 25c.

Men's Tan, Black and Colored Sox, worth 15c a pair, 5c.

Children's 10c Fancy Lace Trimmed Vests, 3 for 10c.

Ladies' Belts, worth from $1.50 to $4, 50c.

Ladies' Black Lace Hose, worth 19c, 12½c.

Dr. Raymond's Celebrated 25c Tooth Powder, 3 for 25c.

100 cards from your own plate, 29c.

Men's All-Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 35c, 19c.

75c Crochet White Bedspreads, 50c.

69c quality Satin Ribbon, 5 inches wide, all colors, 19c.

Stamped Fringed Scarfs, worth 39c, 19c.

Crosse & Blackwell 40c Assorted Pickles, 25c.

BOYS' $6 LONG PANT SUITS, $1.49. We have 25 Young Men's Suits, 14 to 20 years, all neat styles, swell made, worth up to $6, $1.49.

1 lot W. B. Corsets, soiled, worth $1.50, 29c.

69c Corded Taffeta Silks, all colors, 39c.

Colored Wash Petticoats, worth $1, 49c.

**Commencing at 10 o'cl'k**

MEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS—All the summer ones up to $3, now $1.

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING, by Marion Harland—the 25c book for 5c.

LADIES' MUSLIN GOWNS—Also Nainsooks, $1 and $1.25 gowns for 69c.

Good Shell Back Combs, sold up to 50c, 15c.

69c Leather Belts, all colors and sizes, 25c.

Children's 15c Black Hose, white feet, 5c.

50c bottle Royal Salad Dressing, 25c.

Ladies' Hook-on Hose Supporters, all colors, worth 15c, 9c.

Roger & Gallet's, Crown and Lubin's Perfumes, all odors, 49c ounce.

Ladies' Convent Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth $1.50, 6 for 85c.

50 Reams Best Bond Writing Paper, 3c quire.

29c Black Silk Chantilly Bands, 1 to 3 inches wide, 9c.

35c yard Embroidered Dots Dimities, 10c yard.

20c Black Silk Velvet Ribbon, Nos. 5 and 7, 8c.

25c Cottage Rods, for long or light draperies, all colors, 5c.

Plain and Fancy Linen Scrims, worth 25c a yard, 10c.

59c quality 27-inch China Silk, all colors, 37½c.

MEN'S $6 PANTS, $1.95—1 lot Men's Pants, worth from $4 to $6, all sorts of patterns, $1.95.

1 lot Bustles, all kinds, worth up to $1, some are soiled, 25c.

Infants' 50c Crochet Coats, 15c.

50c quality 38-inch All-Wool Black Batiste, 25c.

**Commencing at 11 o'clock**

FINE CORSET COVERS, 25c—Mussed ones and odds and ends up to dollar kind, for 25c.

Basting Thread, 7c dozen.

Men's Scriven's Elastic Seam Drawers, worth 50c and 75c, 3 pair, $1.

Ladies' 19c Long Sleeve Ecru Vests, 3 for 25c.

$1 imported Edam Cheese, 69c.

$8.00 BEADED BAGS, $2.50—Choice of a lot finest Bead Bags, all hand-made and worth up to $8, $2.50.

50c Black and Tan Waist Bags, 25c.

Ladies' 19c Silk Embroidered Hose, neat styles, 2 for 15c.

$1.00 size bottle Manhattan Dandruff Cure, 39c.

Men's Japonette Handkerchiefs, silk initials, 3 for 25c.

NEW MUSIC. "Neath the Hills of Old Missouri." "Just a Word From Home," both 25c.

49c Ecru and Cream Lace Bands, straight and wave, 10c.

20c Bleached Sheeting, 2 yards wide, 10c.

25c Satin Ribbon, 3½ inches wide, 15c.

45c Opaque Window Shades, 3x7 feet, all colors, 15c.

Men's $7 and $8 Pants, finest goods made, all sorts of styles to select from, $2.99.

Boys' 25c School Caps, 5c.

Ladies' $1.50 Fine Corset Covers, 50c.

Ladies' $2.50 Satin Corsets, all colors, 50c.

$1.00 quality All-Wool Black Poplin, 42 inches wide, 49c.

75c Spachtel Scarfs, beautiful, 72 inches long, 39c.

59c quality Pure All-Silk Taffeta, 37½c.

**Commencing at 12 o'cl'k**

COLORED CROCHET SILK, 2c.

25c AND 50c BELT BUCKLES, 12c.

HISTORY OF UNITED STATES, $2.50 edition for 25c.

Infants' Caps, 10c. All the odds and ends of 25c and 50c stocks.

50c bottle Pim Olas, or Manzanillas, 25c.

Men's 50c Imported Suspenders, 15c.

Ladies' 25c Long Sleeve Vests, silk trimmed, 15c.

Lot Fine Belt Buckles, sold up to 50c, 12½c.

Gentlemen's Traveling Cases, worth $1.50, 59c.

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39c Triplicate Mirrors, 14c.

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25c Normandy Val., Duchesse and Point de Paris, 15c.

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3000 yards of Best Calico, all colors, 3c yard.

40c quality 2-inch Black Velvet Ribbon, 20c.

24-inch 98c Down Filled Pillows, 33c.

29c Irish Point Doylies, 16x16, 10c.

Choice 12½c Evaporated Apples or Peaches, 6c.

50c quality extra heavy Satin, all colors, 29c.

$1.25 quality All-Wool Storm Serge, all colors, handsome cloth, 69c.

Men's $8 and $10 All-Wool Suits, handmade, all Italian lined, $4.99.

C. B. $1.00 Corsets, summer kinds, 25c.

$15.00 Silk Underskirts, handsome, $5.98.

**Commencing at 1 o'clock**

10c NEEDLE BOOKS, 3c.

MUSLIN SKIRTS, 49c—Embroidery flounce—best you ever saw for 49c.

ZEPHYR WOOL SHAWLS, white, worth 50c, for 12½c.

LADIES' OXFORDS, 69c—Also Sandals, Kid and Patent Leathers—closing out of many worth up to 4 times this price.

5-ounce can Russian Caviar, worth 20c, for 12c.

Men's Fine Lace Imported Sox, worth 50c to $1 a pair, 25c.

Ladies' Lace Trimmed Full Dress Vests, worth 25c, 12½c.

Solid Gold 75c Baby Rings, plain and carved, 19c.

Ladies' Black and Gray Steel Studded Wrist Bags, worth $2 each, 98c.

Ladies' 19c Colored Lace Hose, 10c.

8-ounce bottle 25c Florida Water, 5c.

Ladies' extra quality Sheer Linen Handkerchiefs, worth 40c, 24c.

50c Edition Imitation of Christ, 10c.

25c yard Embroidered Skirt Flouncings, 5 to 9 inches wide, 10c.

50c and 75c Imported Dress Ginghams, Madras and Oxford, 12½c.

5c package Toilet Paper, 2 for 5c.

10c quality All-Silk Ribbons, all colors and No. 3 to No. 7 wide, 3c.

75c Porch or Hammock Pillows, 24 inches square, 39c.

Mercerized Silk 10c Cushion Cords, 3c.

89c quality Peau de Cygne Silk, 59c.

Men's $2.00 Derby Hats, all new styles, 95c.

A few 75c Silk Bust Forms, 25c.

**Commencing at 2 o'clock**

Darning Cotton, 10 cards, 5c.

46c WORTH OF MUSIC, El Merito and Menelik, both 17c.

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Ladies' Black 15c Hose, white feet, 7c.

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35c quality All-Silk Ribbons, from No. 7 to No. 22, 7c yard.

1200 yards Art Ticking and Cretons, worth 40c a yard, 12½c.

Battenberg Braids, in all numbers, 5 to 10, worth up to 35c a bolt, 19c.

All our Boys' Straw Hats, sold 75c and $1 each, 10c.

Boys' Suits, worth $4 and $5, just a small lot to clean up, $1.99.

Boys' 50c Skeleton Waists, 25c.

Ladies' Skirt Length Chemise, worth $5 and $6, $1.98.

39c Swiss Embroidery, 3 to 6 inches wide, 12½c.

Men's 50c Colored Bordered Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c.

**Commencing at 3 o'clock**

SCHOOL TABLETS, 150 sheets, 10c kind, 3c.

BOYS' SHIRT WAISTS—Finest 75c grade, 3 for $1.

SPOOL SILK, 20c DOZEN.

MEN'S OXFORDS, 49c—Small sizes only, balance of stock.

35c can Potter & Wright's Roast Turkey, 21c.

MEN'S $20.00 SUITS, $8.50—Men's Imported Clay Serge Suits, all silk lined, worth $20, only 25 left, $8.50.

Men's Imported De Joinville Silk Scarfs, worth up to 75c, 29c.

Boys' Balbriggan Shirts, worth up to 35c, 10c.

Gold Filled Lockets, with chains attached, worth up to $1.50, 25c.

1 lot of odds and Ends of our Leather and Velvet Belts, worth up to 25c, 5c.

Ladies' 10c Fast Black Hose, double heel and toe, 5c.

Dressing Combs, worth up to 20c, 5c.

$1.50 Edition Dauntless, 25c.

All our 50c Olives, 25c.

$1 All-Linen Napkins, Dice Patterns, 59c.

Assorted colors Spool Ribbon, worth 50c, 39c.

5 foot 3-fold Silkoline Screens, worth 98c, all new patterns, 50c.

59c Spachtel Scarfs, and Squares, 25c.

Narrow Embroideries and Insertions, sold up to 19c a yard, 8c.

Pattern Veils, all new shades, worth up to $1.49, 48c each.

Ladies' $5.00 Night Gowns, best made—these are beautiful—$1.49.

$1 Tape Girdles, 25c.

**Commencing at 4 o'clock**

Daudecolle & Gaudin's Imported Sardines, worth 15c, for 10c.

10c HAT PINS, 1c.

19c BAY RUM, 5c.

5c Potted Ham or Tongue, 3 cans for 10c.

$10 SUITS, $4.99. We have just 45 Young Men's Suits, sold up to $10; all suitable for winter wear, run in sizes from 14 to 20 years; this is one of our best hour items—$4.99.

New Veilings, in Brussels and La Tosca, worth up to 49c yard, 10c.

Trolley Scarfs, in all dainty shades, worth 49c each, 12½c.

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Men's Celebrated Otis Lisle Thread Underwear, worth $1, 39c.

1000 pairs best 25c and 35c Dress Shields, 17c.

1 lot Silk Vests, worth 35c, 15c.

Boys' 25c Bicycle Hose, extra strong, 12½c.

10c Bleached Doylies, 18 inch, all linen, 5c.

39c quality White Ribbon, in Moire and Satin, No. 60 width, 19c.

500 Brass Extension Rods, from 24 to 50 inches long, for all curtains, worth 15c, 5c.

Ladies' Nainsook Chemise, worth 75c, 49c.

Sachet Forms for fronts of corsets, worth 75c, 25c.

1 lot Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—worth up to 35c each—fancy colored borders, 19c.


# RUNAWAY WRECK IN VANDEVENTER PL.

### TEAM SMASHED THROUGH BOTH GATES.

## HAD RUN TWENTY-ONE BLOCKS.

### Driver of the Turnout, Tom Allen, Leaped for His Life.

Residents of Vandeventer place were aroused about 1:30 o'clock Tuesday morning by the clater of a runaway team that dashed through the exclusive residence section from Grand avenue to Vandeventer avenues, smashing gates and lampposts en route.

The team consisted of Hi-Knocker and Hi-Collar, owned by the Keyes-Marshall Livery Co. The team was attached to a carriage standing at Twenty-first and Washington avenue when a storm arose.

A flash of lightning frightened the horses and they dashed madly west on Washington avenue. The driver, Tom Allen, was within the carriage closing the windows.

He found it impossible to climb to his seat owing to the horses' speed and he jumped for his life. He rolled over several times after striking the ground but was no hurt.

The horses knew their way home and, without interference, raced wildly west on Washington to Grand avenue, where they turned north.

At the entrance to Vandeventer place they swerved to the west, but the gates were closed. Th horss dashed against them with such force that they opened and the animals continued their mad journey down the north side of the place.

The crashed into several lamposts, wrecking them and extinguishing the lights.

At Vandeventer avenue they stopped, exhausted. Policeman Ford cut their harness from them. The carriage was wrecked. Hi-collar was taken back to his stable, but Hi-knocker could not be moved. He was so badly injured that he was shot Tuesday morning.

# THROWN FROM BED BY LIGHTNING

Lightning struck the houe of Paul F Vogel of 1732 North Eleventh street about 3:15 Tuesday morning. The shock threw Mr. and Mrs. Vogel from their bed and frightened Mrs. Kroeger and her four children who live in the basement of the house. It tore a hole in the roof and passed down some pipes into the kitchen where it broke the range into bits and tore up the oilcloth.

The stove in the basement was also broken up. The walls and flooring were torn into splinters.

### Workhouse Inmate Sued.

Lizzie Rauch filed a petition for divorce from August Rauch Monday afternoon. They were married Oct. 27, 1885, and she alleges that for three years he was continuously drunk and abusive. Once he struck her with his fist, she says, and on another occasion assaulted her with a frying pan because she refused to give him money with which to buy liquor.

He is now in the workhouse, where, she alleges, he was sent for 30 days for the last offense. She left him on Nov. 23, 1901. She asks for the custody of their two children.

# BRAKE ORDINANCE NOT YET EFFECTIVE

### IT WILL BE IN FORCE SEPT. 29.

## BOARD CANNOT PROSECUTE

### President Phillips Says If Transit Company Becomes Amenable to Prosecution Law Department Must Act.

President Phillips of the Board of Public Improvements Tuesday morning stated his position on the power-brake controversy to the Post-Dispatch as follows:

"On July 29 the board approved the designs of four power-brakes for St. Louis street cars. The ordinance compelling street cars to be fitted with power brakes provides that it shall not be effective until 60 days after the board approves the designs.

"Therefore the ordinance is not effective until Sept. 29.

"The board has done its duty in the matter, and it will be up to the legal authorities of the city to institute the necessary prosecutions if, on and after Sept. 29, the street car companies fail to equip their cars with a power brake which the board has approved.

"I understand the transit company is now experimenting with cheaper brakes than those approved by the board. Even if they are, the board can do nothing in the matter.

### Four Styles Are Now Approved.

"If they should submit them to the board and ask us to pass on them we could not do so. But we have already approved four styles of power brakes.

"If the transit company should use one of the cheaper styles of power brakes, one of those not approved by the board, after September 29, it would be amenable to the ordinance. But it is not for the Board of Public Improvements to institute legal proceedings for ordinance violations.

"We did what we could to get the street railway companies to comply with the provisions of the ordinance. We asked them to submit designs of power brakes, but they failed to do so. Then we were compelled to investigate the subject for ourselves and recommended such brakes as appeared to us most effective."

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### Oystermen May Strike.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—It is reported at Sayville, L. I., that the oystermen's union has decided to indorse the action of strikers at Oakdale, who demand a reduction from ten to nine hours a day. It is believed that unless the demands of the men are acceded to a general strike of oystermen will be ordered.


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#### Greatest European Authority on Skin Diseases Says It's a Germ.

The old idea that dandruff is scales of skin thrown off, through a feverish condition of the scalp, is exploded. Prof. Unna, Hamburg, Germany, European authority on skin diseases, says dandruff is a germ disease. The germ burrows under the scalp, throwing up little scales of cuticle, and sapping the vitality of the hair at the root. The only hair preparation that kills dandruff germs is Newbro's Herpicide. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Not only cures dandruff, but stops falling hair and causes a luxuriant growth. Delightful hair dressing. Send 10c in stamps for sample. The Herpicide Co., 41 Jefferson av., Detroit, Mich.


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### CHURCHWOMEN IN BATTLE.

#### Their Disagreement Was Domestic, Not Religious.

The church people and other residents of Granite City are busy gossiping about a fight in which two prominent churchwomen engaged last Saturday and for which one was fined $3 yesterday by Magistrate Tinker.

The women are Mrs. Eliza Townsend, a leading member of the Methodist Church, and Mrs. George Bradweizer of the Baptist Church. They are neighbors and are said to have quarreled because one of them placed a spade on the other's lot. At any rate, Mrs. Townsend was charged with striking Mrs. Bradweizer on the head with a spade. She pleaded guilty.


**Foresters' League Cairo Excursion,**

Sunday, Aug. 31. Leave Union Station 7:50 a. m., via M. & O. Tickets $2.00.

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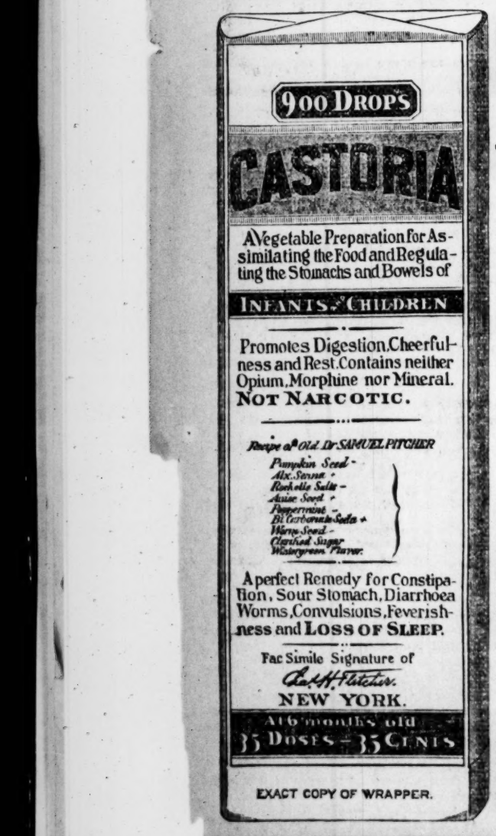


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Financiers are never elected President. They elect the Presidents.

If we could bring our prosperity up to anthracite prices there would be little grumbling over the coal strike.

Buying in the St. Louis market has increased the prosperity of a wide region. The fall rush to it is not surprising.

J. P. M. will doubtless take charge of Cuba and the Philippines as soon as the Moros are subdued and the Cubans annexed.

The sale of residence property at $300 a foot in St. Louis, a city that can go on spreading until it reaches Kansas, and in which there is so much choice residence property, is a notable event.

The suppression of Commissioner Wright's report on the anthracite strike is unaccountable. Surely President Roosevelt's boom is too strong to be affected by official reports.

## ENFORCE THE BRAKE LAW.

The attention of the St. Louis street railway managers is called to the article in the Sunday Post-Dispatch telling of the intention of the East St. Louis & Suburban Electric Railway Co. to equip all its cars with a magnetic brake that will stop a car going at 30 miles an hour within a distance of 100 feet.

It is not the intention of the Post-Dispatch to suggest any special form of brake for the street cars in St. Louis. But Transit Company officials have stated that they were ignorant of a really effective brake. They were presumably enlightened by the Board of Public Improvements, which specified and authorized four different designs. The company appears to have ignored this specification and authorization, which was according to law, and is engaged in experiments with cheap brakes of its own choosing.

If the Transit Company is still in ignorance of an effective brake, it may be interested in the statement of Superintendent Bramlette of the East St. Louis & Suburban Co., who says that he saw a test of the magnetic brake that he is about to place on his cars. A Pittsburg car, weighing 10,000 pounds, more than any car in use in St. Louis weighs, going at the rate of 20 miles an hour, was stopped easily within a hundred feet.

The people of St. Louis know that effective brakes are in use elsewhere. They are aware that the law calling upon the street railway companies to equip the cars with effective brakes went into effect exactly five months ago. They look to see it enforced.

The St. Louis musicians who are donating their services and giving free concerts in the playgrounds of the Civic Improvement League are doing good public work. With such concerts the free playgrounds must be a great success. Work of this character benefits the city and every one of its citizens. It helps to build up a high grade of citizenship. It will pay, in every sense of the word.

## GOING TO LUNNON.

It is reported that another member of our "aristocracy" is planning to dispose of his property in this country and acquire "estates" in England, which he is reported to have said is "the only fit place for a gentleman to live in."

As Marse Henry Watterson pointed out in an editorial reprinted in the Sunday Post-Dispatch, "the Four Hundred continue to keep themselves constantly before the public, yet somehow it is their scandals, not their benefactions, that advertise."

There have been two scandals in one of these families within a month. A few weeks ago a domestic difficulty was made public by a midnight shooting scrap between the husband and the other man. Divorces and trading of wives are so frequent that ladies have to be very careful in making up their dinner parties. A man who was trying to butt into this curious "society" committed suicide the other day, and the members of the Four Hundred gravely surmise that he was probably insane, because he had been seen walking down the street, not on the side traveled by "society." That a sane man could have done such a thing is beyond the power of "society's" conceiving.

The man who is disgusted with America should by all means go to England if he finds there a more congenial home.

But it is strongly doubted whether the English are any fonder than Americans of the sort of people who dub themselves "society." Will the English welcome monkeys to dinner? Will they like baby parties? Will they tolerate the curious creatures who indulge a taste for such things?

Hardly.

Contestants for the Post-Dispatch drawing prizes sent in samples of their work from Louisiana and South Carolina. The contest interested youthful readers far and near. In order to give the younger contestants a better chance, the age limit has now been reduced to sixteen years. Four more prizes of five dollars each may be won. Any child under 16, who can draw faces, has an opportunity to compete and win a prize.

## RIVER BOAT LINE.

The need of river transportation is again plainly stated in the Sunday Post-Dispatch by Mr. J. W. Pittman of Lake Providence, La.

"Ten or fifteen years ago," said Mr. Pittman, "St. Louis received 80 per cent of the grocery trade along the river and 60 per cent of the trade in other lines of business. I now figure that this city receives only 15 per cent of the former and 40 per cent of the latter, and is losing every year.

Other merchants of that section, in response to letters of inquiry, express heartiest approbation of the packet line. One is quoted as follows:

"Merchants generally prefer receiving their goods by boat on account of damages being much more easily and more promptly adjusted. It would, moreover, have a tendency toward the regulation of freight rates as charged by railroads, and we have no doubt it would to a certain extent induce merchants to purchase their goods in St. Louis, in view of the fact that the only obstacle now is poor transportation accommodations."

All interests unite to testify to the need of river transport. It cannot be that the project will not be realized in view of the powerful backing promised.

It is astonishing that there should be a growing feeling against Cuba because in their desperation the Cubans are driven to fixing high tariff duties on imports. It is everywhere proclaimed in the United States that a high tariff is necessary to prosperity, yet we become angry when the islanders in their poverty show inclination to accept this teaching.

## A COMMON SENSE VIEW.

The warning uttered by Mr. Russell Sage against the abnormal growth of combined capital consolidated into monopoly did not spring from baseless fear.

"Should an era of combinations ensue, the American people will certainly revolt against them and, if they do," says Mr. Sage, "there will be financial ruin such as people have never dreamed of in the history of the world."

Nobody will venture to question Mr. Sage's understanding of economic facts and tendencies. What he says is not prophetic, but admonitory, since, probably, no one would more quickly repudiate a suggestion that the American people are not equal to all the dangers they are likely to encounter.

Mr. Sage's warning, coming as an answer to Mr. Morgan's announcement that the growth of trusts has only just begun, shows that the issue is being sharply defined in the minds of those closest to the springs of things.

"Combinations of all great industries are a menace to the government," says Mr. Sage.

"n the question must be speedily considered: How can they rolled?

'sm is cowardice. There is no reason to fear disaster, because the American people are too intelligent to allow themselves to be dragged into a condition in which ruin is the essential feature, and they are too wideawake to drift into it.

Mr. Sage's is the common sense view of the prudent man and should be welcome as a hint from "the inside."

The Transmississippi Commercial Congress urges the President to use all his power to destroy the growing power and influence of the trusts, and it asks Congress to pass more stringent and efficient anti-trust laws if present laws are not sufficient. The coal and meat trusts have given the country some new ideas as to what may be done by combinations in restraint of trade.

## HOW THEY EQUALIZE.

The State Board of Equalization pandered to virtue in adding $8,254,234 to the valuation of public service corporations in the assessment for 1902.

The Transit Company is raised $500,000, which is, perhaps, 5 per cent of what the increase ought to be. Virtue is recognized but not accepted.

Just why the Board should have conceded this recognition is not clear. It wasn't necessary, and it will merely provoke illnatured comment from friends and adversaries of honest taxation.

The law distinctly says that franchises and all other property shall be assessed at full value. As long as the board is determined not to obey the law, why nibble at observance? Why not smash it frankly, boldly, honestly?

There is just as much sense in lowering the assessment $500,000 as in raising it by that amount. The difference between what the assessment is and what it ought to be, according to law, is so great that a little matter of half a million is of no account.

The board ought to do one thing or the other. Either make the public service corporations pay their dues to the state or let them go without any payment. It is folly to try to tempt public sentiment by such piecemeal concessions to justice.

The coldness of Mr. Hanna's fellows in the Civic Federation in the matter of the anthracite coal troubles has been a great drawback to arbitration. Not a word has been heard from them. Perhaps a civic federation is to arbitration what the peace society is to war.

Bishop Potter says that J. P. M. has in many instances encouraged and aided labor unions. Should J. P. M. prove to be a more loving friend of labor than Uncle Mark Hanna, how delighted the coal consumers will all feel.

President Hill's statement that all European countries cross two oceans to reach the Chinese trade while we need cross but one, is true. It will be our own fault, therefore, if we do not take commercial precedence in China.

Every American citizen wants to see the President of the United States, and Mr. Roosevelt will probably come nearer to giving him the opportunity than any other man who has ever occupied the White House.

Russell Sage ventures to say that every mine owner in the country has some interest in Mr. Morgan's Steel Trust. All sorts of unhappy facts for consumers are coming out as the combinations grow.

When a buyer of Missouri mules does not kick when he is asked to pay $11,000 for a span of them, we may be sure that he is getting the worth of his money. There is no mule like the Missouri mule.

The cigarette boy cannot hope to be a successful Indian fighter or a good soldier or a sailor. He cannot even expect to hold his job in a circus.

Had there been no strike the prices of anthracite coal would still have been high. With the strike it may go to almost any figure.

Arkansas anthracite is getting a new start. Every substitute for eastern hard coal is now in demand.

## POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

The Suabian hare spearing is as exciting as the American gander pulling.

Perhaps Mr. Rockefeller eats barley for his hair in addition to using vaseline.

With Mary MacLane's prose and Lelah Harrison Brown's poems it is a great year in literature.

The Kaiser feels himself considerably enlarged since he got a chance to say "Guten Morgan" to J. P. M.

The Michigan man who began business on $1.25 and now owes $500,000 should have begun with $1.50 or $1.75.

The young man who goes into the navy is not only sure that he will hold his job, but that his job will hold him.

The Coal Trust is vaunting its Christianity, but that will not frighten away the devil should the sheol fuel supply fall short.

With quadruplets coming in Missouri and triplets arriving in Illinois, there will be great census figures on both sides of the river.

It is impossible for Mark Twain's few enemies to prove that he isn't funny. He can raise a laugh anywhere at any time in spite of their malice.

With so strenuous a godfather as Theodore Roosevelt, baby Chandler has a great start in life. He may become either a lion tamer or the leader of armies.

Dr. Holland speaks of "the emaciated, asthmatic piano." Evidently the summer girl has been practicing somewhere in the neighborhood of the doctor's study.

New nursery rhyme for the little children:

Hard coal, soft coal, peat and wood.
Why doesn't J. P. M. be good?

The commander in the naval maneuvers who has to do the surrendering must feel something as the man does who has to do an unpopular stunt in the theater.

The many young artists who did not "give their faces" in the first Post-Dispatch art contest can try again. Persevering genius can accomplish almost anything.

There may be a rush of World's Fair visitors to Belleville to see the house in which Dickens slumbered and dreamed nothing of the great future of the St. Louis region.

Mr. Hull's spinal column has been fractured in an idiotic initiation to a society in Oklahoma. The society's humorists may have to pay him heavy damages; but even if he shall laugh last his back is likely to hurt him a long time.

A Boer hero of the battles of Mafeking, Kroonstadt and other bloody fields has been knocked down in a St. Louis saloon, because he would neither treat nor retreat. But, of course, our Boer immigrants cannot get accustomed to American ways all at once.

## ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

SOU. RY.—There is no premium on a half dollar of 1829.

MRS. J. LONG.—There is no premium on a dollar of 1871.

A FRIEND.—"My hair are dirty?" Who says that? "My hair is dirty" is correct.

W. J. F.—The glycerine in nitroglycerine and the glycerine used for toilet purposes is the same.

EAST ST. LOUIS.—Yes, there is a difference in sea level on either side of Isthmus of Panama.

MAZY.—Yes, there are mail carriers in Iowa. There are many postoffices in that state. As many as in Missouri, probably.

STENOGRAPHERS.—No, they are not synonymous. A stenographer is a shorthand writer. A typewriter is one who writes on the machine of that name. You may be a stenographer without being a typewriter. There were stenographers ages before the typewriting machine was invented.

### Costly Horse Play.

From the Washington Post.

At Indianapolis an aged man was thrown down and injured by a chance encounter with a friend who had long cultivated the habit of striking his intimate acquaintances, whirling them around and giving them some such hot name as "old sardine." The aged and injured citizen brought suit for damages and was awarded a substantial sum. The defendant appealed. His counsel submitted that he had meant no harm; that he was a friend of the man whom he had injured; that it was his habitual way of treating his friends, and that the bad result was a mere accident for which he ought not to be held peculiarly responsible. But the court, in reviewing the case, said: "The facts are sufficient to condemn the habit of so-called 'horseplay' between grown men. The defense relied upon has been many times tersely expressed by younger people in the phrase 'I didn't mean to.' Plaintiff was injured through no fault of his own. His right to be secure in person was violated. The appellant was responsible therefor. His act was the primary cause of the plaintiff's injury."

### China's Amazing Fabrics.

From the Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

It is reported from Shanghai that China is preparing to make an unprecedented exhibit at the World's Fair in St. Louis, and it is to be said that China shows off to better advantage in an exposition than almost any other country. The amazing variety and beauty of its fabrics and pottery make the similar exhibits of most nations look crude and meager.

# A DAILY MAGAZINE

## THE ONLY WAY.

Tallun—Say, old man, you have been through the ordeal of proposing. What does a fellow do after he pops the question?

Fatleigh—Why, he questions pop, of course.

### UNTROUBLED DREAMS.

"I wonder if that old Kermudgen who has been cheating and robbing and crushing people for the past forty years knows what it is to enjoy untroubled sleep?"

"I should say he did. He sat across the aisle from me in church last Sunday and I never saw a more peaceful expression in my life than he had on his face for nearly an hour."—Chicago Record-Herald.

### GOOD TIME TO BEGIN.

Fond Mother (listening to baby's cries): What a sweet-toned voice she has, dear! She'll be a splendid singer. We must send her to Italy to have her voice cultivated.

Husband (irritably, from behind the evening paper): Send her now!—Stray Stories.

### NOT WELL ENOUGH ACQUAINTED.

Miss Maison: Excuse my ignorance, but ought I to call you Mr. Bones or Dr. Bones?

The Doctor (irascibly): Oh, call me anything you like. Some of my friends call me an old idiot.

Miss Maison: Ah, but those are only people who know you intimately.—Stray Stories.

### ONE ENGAGEMENT OFF.

They were sitting near the river's edge watching the dimpled waves break on the beach. Suddenly she said, in a soft, dreamy voice:

"I love to listen to the river, Henry, dear, don't you? It is always babbling, babbling, yet it never has anything to say."

"Yes," was the absent response, "it reminds me so forcibly of you."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

## A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

Because sentence against an evil work is not executed speedily, therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully set in them to do evil. ECCLESIASTES.

### REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

There is no reward for lost love because nobody wants its return.

The birds that fly the strongest don't have the finest plumage.

To a woman the next handsomest people after herself are her children.

When a woman is going to church it is a sign she is dressed in her best.

You could never make a woman believe that all the angels don't have nice crinky hair.—New York Press.

### ALL IN THE FAMILY.

They were discussing the factors which make for success in the world, when the knowing young man said:

"There's nothing like force of character, old man. Now, there's Jones. Sure to make his way in the world. Has a will of his own, you know."

"But Brown has something better in his favor."

"What's that?"

"A will of his uncle's."—Stray Stories.

### HE SCORED.

Mrs. Snap—No, I can't give you no handouts to-day. 'Taint my day fur feedin' tramps. What's that you got there?

Wandering Walter—Nuttin' but a camera. I'm wantin' yer portrait fur a series of beauties of de nighborhood, dat's all.

Mrs. Snap—Never mind that. Wait a minute and I'll get out the pie.

# THE NEWEST BOOKS

### Books for Boys.

The Century Company will begin this autumn the publication of a new series of books for boys and girls, to be called "The St. Nicholas Series," made up of long stories which have appeared in St. Nicholas magazine. That periodical began this past year to dispense with serials, and instead has given a long complete story in each number. The new series will include "Sir Marrok," by Allen French; "The Cruise of the Dazzler," by Jack London; "The Boy and the Baron," by Adeline Knapp; "The Boys of the Rincon Ranch," by H. S. Canfield, and "Tommy Remington's Battle," by Burton E. Stevenson, all richly illustrated and issued in uniform and attractive binding at a popular price.

Owen Wister's novel, "The Virginian; a Horseman of the Plains," has run into its fiftieth thousand within six weeks of its publication. In the literary magazines and weekly reports it stands at the head of all the hits of the popular books of the day.

### Sarah Grand's New Work.

Mme. Sarah Grand, author of "Babs the Impossible," published by the Harpers last year, is at work on a play in collaboration with Mr. George R. Simms. The play begun by Mme. Grand in joint authorship with Robert Buchanan, whose death materially postponed the completion of the work.

"The Russells in Chicago" is a cleverly written narrative of the experiences of a young couple from the East who came west and made their home in Chicago. The story is of much interest in that it shows how soon the average human can become accustomed to the existing order of things, and finally want just the opposite of what was formerly desired. At the start of the story the Russells were incredulous, then sarcastic, later on tolerant and finally Mrs. Russell, "throwing a kiss out toward the city, said: 'Dear, dirty, beautiful Chicago, splendid in your youthful strength, I love you, and this is home forever.'" L. C. Page & Co., Boston.

### A Unique Book on Wild Flowers.

Recent books on wild flowers are many in number; some are distinguished for their technical accuracy, some for their explicit descriptions and some for their excellent colored plates. One of the most popular writers on this subject, as well as one of the most accurate, is F. Schuyler Mathews, author of "Familiar Flowers of Field and Garden," "Familiar Trees and Their Leaves," etc.

It has been the desire of the Messrs. Putnam to publish a book on wild flowers that would combine technical accuracy with popular convenience and at the same time contain the best illustrations that could be secured. One other characteristic was desired: Compactness of size, so that the book could be carried to the wild flowers in their native haunts—a unique convenience that does away with "portable herbariums," pressed specimens and the like, and makes a walk through the woods and fields doubly delightful. Mr. Mathews, botanist and artist in one, entered into these plans with enthusiasm more than a year ago.

"The Field Book of American Wild Flowers," by F. S. Mathews, is now ready from the press. It is of pocket size, and yet it contains descriptions of 850 flowers, with drawings of 350, many of these in color. A short description of the character and habits of each flower is given, together with a concise definition of its colors, and a reference to the insects which assist in its fertilization.

The author says of his book, "It originated in the fields, and it is intended to go back there in the hand of its good reader."

### Books on Venice.

The noise of the fall of the Campanile was heard around the globe, and it has served to emphasize the probability that time and crumbling foundations must wipe out historic Venice.

And it also recalls the fact that good books dealing with the "Bride of the Sea" are none too plentiful.

Ruskin and Trollope, it is true, have reared lasting monuments to the beauty that is Venetian, W. D. Howells' "Venetian Days" and Horatio F. Brown's short history of the city are also well known. But of modern works there is little else notable, except, perhaps, Mrs. Turnbull's charming romance of the sixteenth century, well named "The Golden Book of Venice." Harriet Prescott Spofford found it "one of the richest, sweetest, most powerful books ever written"; and Hamilton W. Mable wrote of it that he knew of no other book so full of the atmosphere of Italy. In color and vitality it is indeed a remarkable book. And then it presents a story of deep human interest.

### Queer Title for Conan Doyle.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle, author of "Adventures of Sherlock Holmes" (Harpers), told an amusing incident the other day at a dinner of the Authors' Club in London. It seems that the first intimation of the power of his knighthood came to him in a bill from his gunsmith, which a clerk of the latter had addressed "Sir Sherlock Holmes." The gunsmith's clerk a worthy and credulous man, had no idea of perpetrating a joke, but had written the superscription in sober earnest, having heard that men who are knighted adopt a new name with the title, and that Dr. Conan Doyle would naturally take the name of his famous detective.

There is an old bit of doggerel which has been floating around the country a good many years. It concerns Aaron Burr, Mrs. Gertrude Atherton, who is trying to fight Alexander Hamilton's ante-mortem duel for him, recently sent it to a New York paper and it was published.

It goes like this:

"Oh! Aaron Burr what have you done?
You've gone and killed great Hamilton.
You stood behind a great tall thistle—
And shot him with a big 'hoss' pistol!"

Charles Felton Pidgin, who is ever ready to parry a thrust at Burr and is said to make some very sharp thrusts at Alexander Hamilton in his forthcoming romance of the Utopian Republic as ruled by President-General Aaron Burr, entitled "The Climax; or What Might Have Been," returns the Atherton attack with this jovial verse:

"Oh! Gertrude Atherton what have you done?
You've killed our great George Washington!
You did not use a sword or gun,
But crushed him 'neath a Ham-il-ton!"

### "Friars and Filipinos."

The complexity of the Philippine situation and the great problem before our government are brought out clearly in "Friars and Filipinos," an abridged translation of Dr. Jose Rizal's great Tagalog novel, "Noli me Tangere," published by Lewis, Scribner & Co. of New York. Dr. Rizal, the greatest of Filipino martyrs, came to his own untimely and dramatic end by writing this book and exciting the wrath of the friars. His work explains how Spain failed in its government of the island, and also graphically and accurately describes the life of the Filipino and the scenes in the Philippines. It is the most notable writing a native of the islands has ever produced.

"Michael Carmichael," by Miles Sandys, is a story of love and mystery. The plot has to do with an attempt to swindle an insurance company by means of a bogus corpse. Every great crime that has taken place in the middle West in the last decade has its counterpart in some stage of the story. The book is of a general saffron hue, and scarcely points a moral, although it may have been intended to do so. Laird & Lee, Chicago.

# PRIZES FOR YOUNG ARTISTS.

## COMPLETE THIS HEAD AND WIN $5.

Above is the outline of an old man's head, all but the face. Five dollars will be awarded to the artist, under sixteen years of age, who sends in the funniest and most laughable face of an old man, thus completing the picture.

NOTE THESE INSTRUCTIONS AND FOLLOW CAREFULLY:

The faces must be drawn with a pen and good black ink.

Make as few lines as possible to get the effect.

By cutting away the paper where the profile should be, the head can be mounted on cardboard or some smooth paper, thus getting a better surface to work upon before beginning the drawing.

Only draw in the part that is omitted in the picture. Use the picture cut from the Post-Dispatch as a basis and complete it.

Contestants must not be over sixteen years of age.

No drawings made with blue or red ink will be accepted.

Send drawings, with name, address and age, to Editor Art Contest, Post-Dispatch.

## LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.

### To Prevent Suicide by Carbolic Acid.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Owing to the largely increasing number of suicides by carbolic acid, we would suggest that you agitate that the Retail Druggists' Association of St. Louis take up the matter, and have the members only sell carbolic acid on a physician's prescription. This could readily be done, as all pharmacists are members of the association. For disinfecting and for killing vermin chloride of lime and insect powder and other harmless powders could be used instead of this acid. As druggists we are willing to be the first to live up to the above suggestions.

LION DRUG STORE,
Fourteenth and Cass streets.

### Sailor Boys of the Hartford.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

If the Anxious Mother that has a son on the training ship Hartford will give me her address I will give her what information I can, as I have a son that has been on that ship two years and we are expecting him home very soon.

MRS. R. KENNEY.
Gillespie, Macoupin County, Ill.

### St. Louis' Grand-Jury.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Governments of themselves are worthless and of no value. They are not sacred, there is nothing sacred about them (excepting the sacredness of the ex-parte proceedings of an honest and fearless grand-jury). God bless the grandjury system and may he keep it sacred. It is the only system by which men of high and low degree can be brought before the bar of justice. The true end and aim of government is the preservation of individual liberty. Every safeguard is thrown about the citizens in the protection of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness. The people are the sovereign power and not the officeholders. The St. Louis "boodlers" have discovered this significant truth. The grandjury system in St. Louis has become an important factor in the body politic.

Nauvoo, Ill. GEORGE A. RITTER.

### Better Street Car Service Needed.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

We that have to ride on the Taylor avenue cars want better accommodations. Only a part of us now ride at all, for when the cars are running at night they are so crowded some of us do not get to ride. But this is not the worst part of it, for I understand by a late time table that as soon as the Highlands closes at night, the cars are all turned in the sheds, and that is the reason we that live south of Delmar avenue have to walk if we don't catch the last car ten or fifteen minutes before 12 o'clock. Are these accommodations for a World's Fair city?

A RESIDENT.
St. Louis.

### Gate Tickets at Union Station.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The present method of passing the traveling public through the gates at the Union Station is anything but up to date. Besides it subjects the traveler to a good deal of inconvenience and unnecessary annoyance. You have but to stand beside one of those gates any evening and watch the way they are passed in and you will fully agree with me that there is room for improvement. This being the case under normal conditions what will it be when we have a world's fair here?

It is a well-known fact that all travelers are in a hurry to make their train. You can now imagine him rushing to the window; he buys his ticket and puts it away carefully in his pocketbook, and having heard a good deal of pickpockets, purse-snatchers and satchel grabbers in connection with our Union Station he places it away in an inside pocket, where it will be safe. He then picks up his satchels, which, with his coat and umbrella, make a very good load, and starts for the train. He gets to the gate, he finds 40 people ahead of him and each one has to show his ticket. When this poor traveling man's turn comes he has to drop his satchels, coat and umbrella, dive down in his inside pocket, get out his pocketbook, hands his ticket to the gatekeeper, who examines it, finds it all right, punches it, and hands it back to the traveling man, who again places it away carefully. He again picks up his traps and starts for his train. In anything but a pleasant mood. His temper is not improved any on reaching the car steps to find that he has to go through the same routine. Now you can imagine what a time a poor woman with five or six children and as many bundles would have in reaching her train.

This system you must admit is slow, tedious, annoying and unnecessary. I say unnecessary, because it can be avoided, by adopting the following plan: Let each road have printed 1000 tickets, size 1½x3 inches, to read at top, gate ticket and under that have the initials of the road. Thus, gate ticket, Van. for Vandalia, C. & A. for Chicago & Alton, B. & O., Big Four and so on ad libitum. When the traveler buys his ticket the ticket seller hands him one of those gate tickets. He puts his train ticket away in his pocketbook and places the same where it will be secure; he keeps the gate ticket in his hand and when he gets to the gate he will have no trouble in handing it to the gatekeeper, though he is loaded down with baggage or bundles. And without an instant delay.

In that way that unpleasant stoppage at the gate is avoided and I feel safe in saying that you can pass in 1000 in the same time that you now pass 100 people. This one feature alone would be a great improvement. As soon as possible after the trains pulled out the gatekeepers could return the tickets to the ticket sellers and in that way they could be used over and over for several years. The tickets should read the same on both sides. The cost would not exceed $3, and if the tickets are made of good material they will last three years. It is not absolutely necessary for the traveler to show his ticket at the car steps. All that is necessary is for him to tell the gentleman in charge that he is going to Sedalia or to Joliet as the case may be, he having been admitted through the proper gates to those respective roads.

W. J. F.
St. Louis.

### Sunday Closing.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

To the public and the retail merchants of the city of St. Louis: Now is the time to urge the Sunday closing movement of all retail grocers and meat markets in the city.

But to do this we must get the co-operation of the labor unions, and the laboring class in general.

Now, there is no excuse for people in cool weather for not buying on Saturday just as well as on Sunday morning.

Give the clerks a day of rest each week, which they deserve just as well as you do. Consider yourself in the clerk's place and think it over. Would you not like to have a day of rest each week? You surely would. Let us hear from others on this subject.

Y. P. S.
Market Clerk.

## WIT AND WISDOM.

Financial reciprocity
Is built upon this plan;
A man first makes the money; then
The money makes the man.—Whimsleta.

There are more people, my friend, who have appendicitis on their minds than there are those who have it in their vermiforms. Don't forget that.—Olympian Nights.

Men-folks is like pickles, some; women is the brine they're pickled in; they don't keep sweet without 'em.—Mrs. Tree.

Thar never was a plant as hard to git rooted as charity is, and a body ought to have it whar they kin watch it close. It'll die a heap o' times ef you jest look at it an' it mighty nigh always has bad soil ur a drought to contend with.—Abner Daniel.

The good right arm of the breadwinner is strengthened more by an unexpected caress or an encouraging word from loved ones than by all the roast beef in Christendom.—Buell Hampton.

Christian Science is all right when you are truly well, in good physical condition. It is a sure cure for imaginary troubles, but when you are really sick it is not of Olympus, but of Hades.—Olympian Nights.

A person's mind has no call to be all clothes. They are all that stands between us and savages, some think.—Mrs. Tree.

Readiness to answer all manner of questions involving book learning is the beginning of a species of idiocy.—The Unspeakable Scot.

A person who can't argue is like a person who can't chew. He swallows the facts of life unprepared for digestion.—Those Delightful Americans.

The love of no man is an insult until it begins to demand.—Daniel Everton.

A courthouse is like the devil's abode—easy to git into, no outlet, an' nothin' but scorch while you're thar.—Abner Daniel.

A plant in the room on washday is worth more than a bunch of flowers on Sunday.—Nature Portraits.

None of us but is frail enough to do things now and then because they are the fashion.—Compiled by the New Era Magazine.

# THIS ST. LOUIS GIRL A BRIDEMAID

IN THE EVER-POPULAR "BELLE OF NEW YORK"

## GOOD VAUDEVILLE AT COLUMBIA

MISS JEANETTE LEWIS.

She will be one of the bridemaids in "The Belle of New York," to be seen at the Grand next month. She is a native of St. Louis and resides here with her mother at 2936 Lucas avenue.

Dramatically speaking, by far the best number in the Columbia program this week is the work of Miss Earle Remington of the team of Hines and Remington. She is one of the most unique entertainers on the vaudeville stage and her impersonations and mimicry are most wonderful. In her general make-up she is inclined to the grotesque, but her art is so pronounced that one forgets her personal appearance.

As an entertainment feature, however, the audiences yestrday were inclind to award the palm to the Lowe-Hughes trio of musicians. They furnish excellent music on a variety of instruments, while their playing on three xylophones surpasses anything of the kind heard in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes are new to the stage, but they have the ability to entertain and Mrs. Hughes is certainly one of the most beautiful women ever seen at the Columbia.

The Four Madcaps, English girls in a musical acrobatic stunt, were disappointing; not because they are not fair to look upon and do a fairly good turn, but much more had been expected of them, because of the featuring they have received. They are not up to some of our American girl specialties.

Others who entertained were Foy and Clark in their grotesque sketch, "The Spring of Youth;" Cole and De Losse on the slack wire; Alburtus and Millak, club swingers; Irving Jones, negro singer; Dave Nowlin in a monologue, Little Shore Acres and Artie St. Clair, juvenile comedy act, and the Shaws.

N. B. Patton, who is delighting large audiences at Havlin's this week with his quaint comedy in "The Minister's Son," broke into the theatrical profession under circumstances that would have effectually put a quietus on anyone who was not actually destined to achieve success and stellar honors.

Mr. Patton's father was a minister in Rochester, N. Y., and, like most gentlemen of the cloth in his particular branch of the church, he had abhorence of the stage. Young Patton was an only son, and it was his father's wish that he, like his father and his father before him, follow the traditions of the family and become a minister. Young Patton's ministerial education was well under way, and he had never gazed across the footlights.

One summer young Patton went to a neighboring city to pass his vacation with an uncle. Buffalo Bill's aggregation visited that city and after perusing all of Nat Salsbury's glowing and patriotic literature, neither young Patton nor his uncle could see the slightest reason why he should remain away. It was decided to go. The exhibition delighted him at every turn. The show so pleased the young man that when the gentlemanly agent passed through the audience selling tickets for the concert the minister's son never thought of not staying.

He paid the price and saw the show. The concert was the less enjoyable part of the big show, but the glamor of the whole so worked on the young man that he determined to be a part of it. He dreamed that night of the applause that greeted him as he dashed up before the grand stand on his charger.

Patton left his uncle's roof and it was supposed that he had gone home. It was some time before it was known that he had "run away." He sang in the concert, but he wanted to ride the horses, and finally he was permitted. One day he tried a horse that was noted for its viciousness, but Patton was ambitious. He mounted the animal and it dashed away with him. His foot was caught in the stirrup and try as he might he could not extricate it. The animal reared, plunged and ran like the infuriated steed he was. The thousands in the grandstand knew that a life was in peril. Cowboys tried for a rescue, and they tried to act as though the incident were a part of the program to quiet the fears of the audience.

Mr. Cody himself joined in the chase and it was he who finally dragged young Patton from beneath the prostrate horse, where he had been thrown by the lariats. Unconscious and almost dead, the young man was carried away. A surgeon was called and it was discovered that a leg was broken, and several ribs, not to mention bruises, contusions and internal injuries. He was taken to his own home, where he was soodily forgiven. When he regained his health and strength all desire to shine as a wild west hero were dissipated, but the desire for a quiet clergyman's life was gone and he finally drifted into the theatrical business and after achieving some fame and fortune he clinched both by writing the play in which he now stars.

In John Drew's play, "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," which opens the Empire Theater's season Thursday, Sept. 4, there is an odd character, an Italian organ grinder. He has come to London to seek revenge on a man who has robbed him of his wife. One cold winter night he is nearly frozen. The scientist who is the chief figure in the play and who is impersonated by John Drew, takes the Italian to his home and makes him comfortable. He then engaged him as his valet. In that capacity the Italian prevents the elopement of the scientist's wife with the man whom he has pursued from Italy.

**Foresters' League Quincy Excursion,**

Sunday, Aug. 31. Leaves Union Station 7:50 a. m., via Burlington route. Tickets, $1.50.

Dr. McCandless has returned from his vacation.

**Price of Bottles Raised.**

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Prices of bottles will be raised from 10 to 15 cents a gross. This statement was made last night by L. L. Turner, president of the Western Green Glass Bottle Association, which has been in session in Chicago, and which authorized the advance. He said the cause of the raise was the increased cost of production, due to the advance in the price of both labor and materials. The association includes 18 of the largest manufacturers of the United States.

# CHILD SAW AUNT DRINK FATAL ACID

**NO REASON KNOWN FOR MYRTLE BAIRD'S SUICIDE.**

**NO SICKNESS, NO LOVE AFFAIR.**

**Young Woman Who Recently Came to St. Louis From Montezuma, Ind., Left Farewell Note to Relatives.**

Dear Laura: When you come from downtown I will be gone. I know you have done lots for me, but I have been disappointed many times. I have also done lots for you, which no one else would of done. Tell Walter good-bye for me when you see him. Good-bye, Laura. Try and forget the one who has been so much trouble to you. I have written a letter to ma this morning. I want to be sent to Bloomingdale, Ind. Good-bye, Laura; good-bye, Ed. MYRTLE.

Why Myrtle Baird, aged 18, took her life by swallowing carbolic acid is thus far unknown to her friends. The girl's sister, Mrs. Edward Arnold, at whose home she drank the fatal draught, says that she cannot explain the act.

"My sister was in good health, and had no love affair," said Mrs. Arnold.

"The Walter of whom she wrote is her brother, Walter Baird. "Ed" is my husband, her brother-in-law."

The girl, who recently came to St. Louis from Montezuma, Ind., swallowed the acid in the presence of her nephew, Edward Arnold, aged 5, at the Arnold home, 4333 Kennerly avenue.

The child called a neighbor, who found the girl's dead body. Soon after her sister returned to the house.

## ASTRONOMER WRIGHT CHOSEN.

**He Will Head the Mills Expedition to Chili.**

BERKELEY, Cal., Aug. 26.—Astronomer William H. Wright of the astronomical staff of the Lick Observatory, has been chosen to take charge of the D. O. Mills expedition now being outfitted at Mount Hamilton to spend two years in Chili in making special researches among the stars of the southern hemisphere.

Director W. W Campbell will go with the party to direct personally the erection of the observing station, and the beginning of the two years astronomical campaign. Harold K. Palmer, fellow in the Lick Observatory for the past four years, will be Astronomer Wright's assistant.


### THE FIRST STEP

Of the child is an event in the mother's life. How proud she feels when the attempt to walk is begun so early as to evidence childish courage and sturdy strength. Such pride should be enjoyed by every mother. But it often happens that the child is timid, weak and deficient in vitality, and clings to the mother's arms with no desire to walk or play.

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**On Sale From 8 to 10 a.m. Wednesday**

**Flannelette**—Fancy striped and checked Flannelette, 5c quality, from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... **2½c**

**Lawns**—French printed Dress Lawns, 6¼c quality, from 8 to 10, in basement..... **2½c**

**Ginghams**—Fancy striped Seersucker Ginghams, 10c quality, from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... **5c**

**Lining**—Extra heavy weight fine mercerized black Sateen, in 2 to 8-yard lengths, suitable for Skirts, Petticoats, etc., worth 25c a yard, from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... **10c**

**Underwear**—Odds and ends of ladies' fine lisle thread Vests, plain or fancy yokes, that sold for up to 50c, from 8 to 10, on main floor, per garment..... **15c**

**Ladies' Oxfords**—Nearly 300 pairs of ladies' fine Oxfords and Slippers, sizes 2½ to 4, worth $1.50 to $2.50 a pair, from 8 to 10, in basement, per pair..... **59c**

**Window Shades**—Opaque Window Shades, in dark green, white and colors, mounted on spring rollers, size 3x7, complete, with fixtures, worth 39c, from 8 to 10, on third floor, at..... **19c**

**Lace Curtains**—Nottingham, Scotch and Brussels Net Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long, 50 to 54 inches wide, a few have slight defects, the balance are perfect, worth up to $2.50 a pair, several pairs to match, from 8 to 10, on third floor, per curtain..... **25c**

**Silks**—20-inch white wash silk, suitable for many purposes, actually worth 39c, from 8 to 10, on main floor, per yard..... **22c**

**Dress Goods**—Just 36 pieces of fine imported all-wool French Serge, 50 inches wide, in green, blue and brown, positively worth 75c a yard, from 8 to 10, on main floor, per yard..... **33c**

Only 7 yards to a customer.

**Petticoats**—Ladies' black sateen Petticoats, with deep graduated knife-pleated flounce, finished with heavy cord, good 98c values, from 8 to 10, on second floor, at..... **59c**

**Dotted Swiss**—Very sheer and fine quality, pin dotted Swiss, in ecru, 32 inches wide, 15c quality, from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... **7½c**

**Towels**—300 dozen large and extra heavy double thread Turkish Towels, with red border, 15c values, from 8 to 10, in basement, each..... **10c**

**Tailor Cloths**—About 500 lengths 54-in all-wool Tailoring Cloths, adapted for ladies' skirts, men's and boys' clothing, 1¼ to 3½ yards long, their average value is $2.25 per yard, from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... **85c**

**Laces**—English Torchon Laces, edgings and insertions, actually worth 5c a yard, from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... **1c**

**Hammocks**—Choice of any Hammock in the house, worth up to $1.48, from 8 to 10, on fourth floor, at..... **39c**

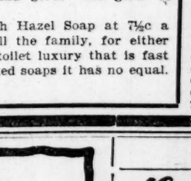
**Boys' Suits**—Made of fancy mixed cheviots, double-breasted coat and knee pants, in large sizes only, ages 13 to 16 years, $3.00 values, on third floor, at..... **$1.49**

**Handkerchiefs**—300 dozen finest quality pure linen Handkerchiefs—unlaundered and unfinished—on sale from 8 to 10, in basement, each..... **2c**

**Good School Shoes**

At Special Reduced Prices.

3000 pairs of boys' and girls' school Shoes, every pair warranted, box calf, vici kid and calf skin, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 values, Wednesday, all day, per pair..... **98c**



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**School Supplies.**

Pencil Tablets (150 sheets), 2 for..... 5c
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Colored Lead Pencils—box of six..... 4c
Rubber-Tipped Lead Pencils, with sharpener, for..... 5c
Soapstone Slate Pencils, 5½ inches long, per doz. 2c
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School Bags of heavy canvas, bound, with shoulder straps..... 25c and 49c
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Single Slates, only..... 5c
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**On Sale From 10 to 12 a.m. Wednesday**

**Neckwear**—Ladies' pique stocks, in white and colors, with silver and gilt buckles, worth up to 25c, from 10 to 12, on main floor, at..... **3c**

**Japanese Trays**—Highly polished Japanese Tea Trays, in different sizes, beautiful designs, hand painted in gold, worth up to 50c, from 10 to 12, in basement, each..... **5c**

**Embroideries**—Embroidery edgings and insertions, up to 4 inches wide, in very new patterns, dainty and elaborate designs, 7½c quality, from 10 to 12, in basement, per yard..... **3c**

**Underwear**—Odd lots of men's plain and fancy colored Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers that sold for up to 69c a garment, from 10 to 12, on main floor, choice..... **19c**

**White Goods**—50 pieces of extra fine 40-inch white Lawn, very sheer quality, 15c values, from 10 to 12, in basement, per yard..... **8c**

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**Infants' Cloaks**—All our light weight infants' Cloaks, made of imported Bedford cord, with deep cape, prettily trimmed with fancy silk braid or ribbons, lined with sateen, always sold for $1.50, from 10 to 12, on second floor, at..... **98c**

**Spreads**—Full size crochet Bed Spreads, some slightly imperfect, 98c value, from 10 to 12, in basement..... **59c**

**Flannelette**—Dark colored fancy plaid dress Flannelette, 12½c quality, from 10 to 12, in basement, per yard..... **5c**

**Sheeting**—8-4 fine quality bleached Sheeting, 25c quality, from 10 to 12, in basement, per yard..... **12½c**

**Black Silks**—3 special grades of fine black Silks for coats, waists, etc., Taffeta, Peau de Soie and Bengaline, 75c values, from 10 to 12, in Silk Department, per yard..... **49c**

**Lace Curtains**—French Guipure, Brussels Net and Scotch Lace Curtains, 3¾ yards long, 54 to 60 inches wide, all perfect fresh new goods, in dainty lace effects or heavy Irish Point designs, 2 to 5 pairs of a kind, worth $2.00 a pair, from 10 to 12, on third floor, per pair..... **69c**

**Portieres**—200 odd large reversible Turcoman Portieres, in rich Oriental and Persian stripes, finished with deep tassel fringe, worth $2.50 a pair, from 10 to 12, each..... **45c**

**Children's Slippers**—300 pairs of Children's Slippers, sizes 6 to 10½, worth $1.00 to $1.50 a pair, from 10 to 12, on main floor, per pair..... **49c**

**Silk Maline**—Suitable for trimming Hats, 19c quality, from 10 to 12, on main floor, per yard..... **7½c**

**Chinaware**—German Porcelain handled Tea Cups and Saucers, bread and butter, tea and dinner Plates, splendid value at $1.25 a dozen, from 10 to 12, on fourth floor, choice..... **5c**

**Boys' Waists**—Waists for boys, in dark colors, suitable for school wear, blouse and waist style, with band or collar attached, sizes 4 to 13 years, 50c and 69c values, from 10 to 12, on third floor, at..... **35c**


# ZIEGLER STARTS NEW EXPEDITION

**It Is Entirely Independent of Baldwin's Venture.**

**LEADER'S NAME NOT GIVEN OUT**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—William Ziegler, the millionaire backer of Explorer Evelyn B. Baldwin, in his dash for the north pole, has announced that he has sent another expedition to operate independently of Baldwin.

He is keeping the name of the leader of this expedition secret. He says, however, that it is headed by a man in whom he has the greatest confidence.

His instructions to it are to reach the north pole at all hazards.

Ziegler admits he has little hope that Baldwin's expedition will succeed and has expressed himself as being dissatisfied with the explorer's vague reports about his efforts to reach the pole.

The new expedition is said to be on board the Frithjof, which is carrying relief to Baldwin at Camp Ziegler.

"Has the return of Baldwin altered your determination to reach the pole? Have you any disposition to throw it up and recall Baldwin?" Mr. Ziegler was asked today.

"Certainly not," he replied. "I will get there if it is possible. Baldwin knows that he need not come back to me until he reaches the pole. I told him so before he went and I think he understands that part of it thoroughly. The truth is that Baldwin is only one string to my bow. On the Frithjof with Champ I sent a fully equipped party, entirely independent of Baldwin. I gave them very explicit instructions. If they did not find Baldwin they were to go forward on their own hook. They are under a competent leader, in whom I have confidence.

"Baldwin is still lying in Norway, and, if I am correctly informed, it is too late in the season for him to reach Franz-Josef Land this fall. He has planned to go back next summer and make his trial in the spring of 1904.

"If everything has gone well with the Frithjof party it is now in Franz-Josef Land. The party will pass the winter there after establishing itself as far north as it can get.

"They will not wait for Baldwin, but will make their expedition independently under the man I have chosen to lead them. If they reach the pole, well and good. The man who gets there is the man who will get the glory.

"Baldwin will receive orders to proceed to Camp Ziegler as soon as he can next summer. He will remain there through the winter and will go north to relieve the other expedition or to find the pole in the spring of 1904. If things turn out that way Baldwin's expedition will, in a sense, be a relief expedition for the one carried up on the Frithjof."

"Who is the leader of the expedition which will go from the Frithjof?"

"I do not care to give his name at the present time. I will only say that he is a perfectly competent man, in whom I have great confidence," replied Mr. Ziegler."


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## ENGINE PICKED UP VICTIM.

**Unconscious Preacher Was Carried 11 Miles on Pilot.**

CUMBERLAND, Md., Aug. 26.—Rev. W. R. Osborne of Hackettstown, N. J., while unconscious, was carried 11 miles between Tunnellton and Rowlesburg, W. Va., on the pilot of the engine drawing a Baltimore & Ohio express train. The train stopped at Rowlesburg to coal and there he was found.

Mr. Osborne, who is 70 years old, was bruised about the head, body and legs, but physicians say he will recover. He was struck by the train while crossing the track.


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# GENERAL SPORTING NEWS

## THE HAMMER COLUMN

We desire to offer our sympathy to the poor bookmaker at Kinloch Park. He has our money, and he may as well possess our non-negotiable assets as well. We believe he will need condolences before the week at Kinloch is over.

The occasion of our proffer is the announcement made last night that, beginning today, all races would be started under the no-recall system.

We wish we were a horse owner. We have unintentionally paid for several during our visits to the several race tracks in the vicinity, but have nothing to show for it save an assorted collection of pasteboard which is non-convertible.

If we had a few good selling platers we would go straight away and have our conscience amputated, after which we would repair to Kinloch. We would then demonstrate to the association the variety of possibilities under the recall system, and to the bookmakers, that their percentage is not always a "cinch."

We have no intimate acquaintance with the vast body of persons who own horses. Such as we have had the good fortune to meet, judging from the systematic manner in which they have induced us to bet on the wrong horse, have not sprouted any wings yet. We may reasonably be supposed to be right in thinking that there are one or two who will never grow any.

With our conscience amputated, and our barn protecting a horse or two, it may be reasonably supposed that we would do what they would—form an association for the annihilation of the pencilers.

We might do this in several ways, but the most natural one would be to smoke the pipe of peace with the owners of two or three horses that had a chance in a certain event, and arrange to have the shortest priced animals in the bunch anchored when the barrier goes up. To make matters doubly sure we could crowd two days' food into half a day's space and take off about three seconds of speed.

We would then saunter down into the betting ring and watch the odds on the dead ones get shorter and shorter and the price on the only live one grow fat.

Then, out with the wad, down the line and behind the book waiting for the money—there would be no need to watch the race run. In case of a howl, why, the horses were off bad and could never get up.

Like all good things, it is simple.

As the betting public we are satisfied. We have a large objection to betting on anything that is less than even money, even though our convictions tell us the horse will win. Now we are convinced that these same short horses will not win and can devote ourself to the joyful operation of "piking" with the reasonable hope of some day lighting on the horse which carries the money of the elect.

In anticipation of this event, we therefore offer the bookmakers our sympathy. We expect to yet get that horse we have many times bought and never owned.

### THE FALL OF BASEBALL.

We spent an hour or two in the dusty archives which shelter many volumes of past baseball history yesterday. We were profoundly impressed for a moment with the improvement, manual, in the baseball game of the present day over that of a few years since. We had been told by Vater Carls and other archeological deposit dug up from early strata that on the contrary baseball a few years ago was a big margin ahead of the championship baseball of today.

For a few moments we thought we hit upon a contradiction of this and then we happened to think about the accepted method of scoring. We wilted and found that our discovery was nil.

Records in fielding are, next to drawing a salary, the easiest thing to accomplish connected with the business of baseball. We even think we could play baseball if we could have one of Uncle Nick's men to score for us.

The theory appears to be to protect the player and keep him from making an error as long as possible. Occasionally a player breaks loose and does a stunt while the spectators are looking and then a misplay has to be registered. Likewise anything that can be construed into a safe hit is made one. Sometimes this situation is tortured until it nets one.

Assisting ourself in the performance of this duty, we occasionally have ruptured our conscience trying to make Oom Paul Kruger present a clean sheet for the day.

We have come to the conclusion that the real purpose of the official score is to protect the player. For instance a hot liner we would naturally suppose the player entitled to an error. This is a big mistake—the ball is simply too hot to handle and goes for a hit. Perhaps it might not have been too hot for another player who would possibly have held it. It would then have been a "phenomenal play."

If a ball goes shooting to right or left and the player has to get through his hands, while it is natural to suppose the player failed to stop it, this is not so—it was a base hit, only you failed to notice it.

It was too far to one side or the other and makes a hit for the batter. Of course it is quite likely that some Wallace or Wagner might have gotten it—but because one man gets it or could get it is no reason why it should be an error for another—such an idea is highly erroneous, but the act is not.

For a long time we labored under the mistaken impression that a player was hired to stop the hard balls. We were deluded into believing that any player would do to stop easy ones. It appears that salaries are paid, however, solely with the idea that players handle the sure things. If they get the others it is so much luck. The luckier you are the higher your salary.

### OOM PAUL'S $4000.

We really are depressed over the want of luck our Oom Paul Kruger has. Anything out of the way of his salary always inconveniences him. And yet only recently we learn that Oom Paul is to draw $4000 a season.

We understand the explanation of this lies in the fact that Kruger's luck lies in his batting. Four thousand dollars' worth of luck should be a great deal.

Kruger, it is said, will draw that money by sitting on the bench and batting in pinches. We would sit on a bench myself for $4000. That is where ourself and Kruger seem to belong, anyway.

## BIG FIGHT TO BE UNDER CANVAS

### Tim Hurst Completes Arrangements for It in Open Field at Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 26.—The McGovern-Young Corbett fight of Sept. 2 will take place under a great canvas in an open field on Fourth street, Louisville, instead of inside the Southern Athletic Club, as has been supposed.

A great tent for this purpose will be erected and seats for 10,000 will be put up. It was decided on after some telegraphing between Tim Hurst of Pittsburg and Jim Gray of Louisville.

"Gray and I are equal owners in the Athletic Club, and some days ago the idea that the Southern could seat only 4000, would be

## ONE BASEBALL LEAGUE PLAN FOR THE FUTURE

### Official of the St. Louis American Team Says Hostilities Will Surely End Soon---Present System Is Injuring the Game.

"When the cruel war is over, Jennie, dear"—

Baseball magnates are evidently humming this song beneath their breath, in anticipation of the cessation of hostilities between the two major organizations of the country—this notwithstanding the warlike conditions at present prevailing.

An official of the St. Louis American League said today to a Post-Dispatch representative:

"There is no question but that the end of the two leagues will come. I do not expect it this year, but the present hostilities will surely cease next season or in 1904.

"A mutual understanding is bound to come and the St. Louis American League Club will indorse it when it is proposed. The present conditions play into the hands of the players too strongly. Hostility and competition between the two organizations simply serve to enhance prices. Salaries are going up so that neither league can make money. When each finds that the other is prepared to stay in the business, with the realization will come an appreciation of the fact that amity in place of hostility is the better policy.

"The end will see both leagues working in harmony, such as existed in the days of the old National Association. The future will probably see the baseball employers organized as against the baseball players. The question reduces to a plain business proposition as any other matter of making money. In all, combitaion is strength. The baseball magnates will find this out soon.

"There are likely to be many surprises in the baseball world before the season of 1903 opens. It is possible that the two leagues will get together before the start of another season. If so it will be all the better for baseball.

"As it now stands there is no money in baseball. It is a mere question of whether the game will be killed or salaries drop. The latter issue is bound to come."

## JESSE BURKETT WILL NOT PLAY ON ST. LOUIS TEAM NEXT SEASON

Confirmation of the story that Burkett would not be with the American League St. Louis team next year was received today.

According to information given to the Post-Dispatch, Jesse Burkett will be no more a player on the St. Louis team.

Burkett, Wallace and Heidrick have received flattering offers from other clubs for their services next season, and all have reported them to the American League management. The latter has met the advances offered Heidrick and Wallace, and, according to the Post-Dispatch informant, these two players will remain with the club next season.

Burkett, however, will get the cold and icy hand. He will be left to accept his "offer" and go elsewhere—the American League management does not want him.

The reason for letting Burkett go is not so much his failure to play the baseball that he did in past years as his conduct on the field.

The American management has never liked his rowdyism, and it is thought best to let him accept any offer made him, as the easiest means of letting him go without hurting his feelings.

## WESTERN WOMEN IN GOLF TOURNEY

### Sixty-Two Players Are Entered at Onwentsia Club Links.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Play in the qualifying round of the second annual western woman's golf championship, together with that of the seventh annual women's championship of the Onwentsia Club, began under almost perfect conditions today on the links of the Onwentsia Club at Lake Forest. Sixty-two are entered—a record number for the events. Two cups go to the winner of the tournament, the governor's cup, which for five years was considered the trophy of the women's championship of the Western Golf Association, and the Alexander cup, which two years ago was made the particular prize of the association event.

Miss Bessie Anthony of Glenview, the present western champion, is prime favorite today. In the event that she should win the tourney both cups will go to her permanently, inasmuch as she has won the championship two years successively.

The opening round was at 18 holes, medal play—the first 16 players qualifying for the championship and the governor's cup. The next 16 will qualify for the governor's solace cup and the third 16 for the governor's tyro cup. Judging from scores made over the course of yesterday, the low score for the qualifying round will be somewhere between 95 and 100.

## TENNIS CHAMPION DETERMINED TODAY

### One of the Dohertys Will Meet Malcolm D. Whitman in the Finals.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 26.—It is England against America today on the championship tennis courts here. One of the Dohertys, yet to be determined, will meet Malcolm D. Whitman for three champion of America, in the finals of the tournament. The winner will have the option of meeting William A. Larned, champion of America for last year.

Which of the Doherty brothers will meet Whitman had not been announced at an early hour this morning. It has been the practice of the English brothers never to oppose one another in tournaments abroad. As both have qualified for the finals, one will probably default in favor of the other for the privilege of meeting Whitman today.

Whitman has already defeated R. F. Doherty in singles, during the contest for the Davis trophy. H. L. Doherty won all the English championships last year and has shown improved form recently. Yesterday in the match against Lee Ware of Boston, he displayed superb tennis in defeating that crack player.

He will probably represent England in today's match.

Whitman is believed to be the strongest man America has put in the field. He is strong, hardy and a great uphill player with a reach at the net that makes it almost impossible to pass him.

In case Whitman wins today, it is believed he will withdraw and give the English player the right to meet William A. Larned for the championship. R. F. Doherty beat Larned in the contest for the Davis trophy.

### AMATEUR BASEBALL NOTES.

Manager J. Hellgenstein of the Altamont, Ill., Baseball Club would like a game for Aug. 30 with the Pastimes, Visitors or Marines of St. Louis preferred.

Games in the Concordia League Sunday resulted as follows: Grace, 11; Trinity, 2. Batteries—Hoettemann and Reuter; Juengel and Scheele. St. Paul, 7-6; Trinity, 0-7. Batteries—Schleuter and Lespe; Berndhal and Brunner.

Willow Springs defeated the Frisco Grays Sunday by a score of 4 to 3. The Hunt brothers furnished battery work for the Grays, while Gunn and Stephens served for the winners.

J. P. Regres defeated the J. M. Lloyd team at South End Park Sunday in a 12-inning game by a score of 5 to 4. The Reuses have an open date for Aug. 31 and for Sept. 14. A. G. Meyer of 4701 Michigan avenue is manager.

### Kinloch Race Trains.

Leave Union Station 1:15, 1:45, 2:45 p. m.; Saturday special, 1:20 p. m.; foot of Olive 11 a. m., 1:20, 1:35 and 4:15 p. m. Suburban cars every ten minutes.

## KID ABEL LIKE A SELLING PLATER

### Never Had a Chance With Attell Who Won All the Way and Easily.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—About the easiest thing in the way of an opponent Abe Attell ever faced, was Kid Abel. Last night, before the American Club, Abel attempted to show in six rounds, what he could do against Jack McKenna's former star. He was smothered with an avalanche of punches, buffeted and made to look like the veriest novice.

From the start of the first round until the gong rang, at the close, Attell hammered his man at will, Abel resorting to futile, bull-like rushes, in which he tangled himself up and made himself a mark for the constant jabbing of his shifty opponent.

Abel's one chance to win seemed to be to break down the California fighter's guard and land a telling blow. He got about as close to this as a kite might to the moon. Attell made a show of him at all stages and cut his face badly in the few rounds they fought.

At the end Abel was still forcing matters, for, though torn outwardly, it was evident his strength was little impaired. The men were supposed to box at 123 pounds, but Abel looked 10 pounds heavier than his opponent.

Once or twice Abell tried to mix it with Attell, and though the latter is supposed to be weak at this end of the game, Abel got the worst of even this side of the contest.

Local followers of the game were much surprised at the cleverness of Attell, as this is the first time he has appeared before a local public. Many who witnessed the battle think Attell will prove the cleverest little man who ever stepped into a ring.

## FOOTBALL STARS AT A PREMIUM

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—With the waning of summer sports, football is beginning to excite considerable attention. With no politics to concern the collegian the scramble for embryo stars, graduates of the various preparatory schools, is furnishing a bit of merry gossip for the followers of the pigskin. Preparatory schools have always been the feeders of the big colleges and it is to be deplored that the greed to secure star players has compelled the big universities to trespass on the territory of each other.

One example is sufficient to show that sentiment cuts no figure, when a promising player is needed. It has been published that Capt. Gardiner of the University of Pennsylvania football team, is responsible for the statement that young Shevlin, the giant hammer thrower of Hill school, will enter Pennsylvania this fall.

Shevlin holds the world's record for the 12-pound hammer. He is only a boy and will take up this 16-pound hammer this fall and is expected to break all records within a year or two. Besides, he is a sterling football player, weighs 180 pounds and is unusually active on his feet. Yet the writer is in possession of undisputed information from no less a source than Capt. Chadwick of the Yale team, that Shevlin has passed his entrance examination and has been declared eligible by the faculty for the blue football team. Shevlin is regarded as a "great find" at Yale and is expected to make trouble for the veterans from the start to retain the position of tackle.

### Morshead Gains First Point.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 26.—In the suit of Walter Morshead against the Central Pacific Co. and others, United States Circuit Judge Morrow has denied the motions of the defendant to dismiss the bill of complaint, and the supplementary bill, but has granted its motions requiring the complainant to furnish securities for costs. The case will now be placed on trial on its merits. Morshead represents the British stockholders in the Central Pacific who contend that their interests have not been properly protected by the management of the company.

### "Pete" Husting to Wed.

FOND DU LAC, Wis., Aug. 26.—The marriage of "Pete" Husting, pitcher for the Philadelphia team, and Miss Agnes Steenberger is announced to take place at Mayville on Aug. 28. Husting is expected in this city early this week and after his marriage will return to the Philadelphia team. After the season is over Mr. and Mrs. Husting will return to this city, where Mr. Husting will practice law in partnership with his brother.


## HOUR SALE.

**Embroidery Beadings**—White Embroidery Beadings, with heavy appliqued edges, also beaded bands, worth up to 25c a yard—for Wednesday, while they last, per yard, 10c, 7½c, 5c and..... 2½c

**Linings**—Woods & Slayter's best kid-finish Dress Linings, all colors; for two hours, in basement..... 2½c

**Waisting**—300 pieces of plain all-wool and fancy stripe waisting, all the new fall shades—Wednesday, choice..... 25c

**China Silks**—24-inch Black Surah China and India Silks—worth 65c—choice in Silk Dept. from 10 to 12, per yard..... 39c

**Henriettas**—5000 yards Henrietta, 36 inches wide, in all colors and black. These goods are actually worth 35c yard. Sale Price Wednesday for two hours, from 10 to 12, main floor..... 15c

**Plaids**—One case of mill lengths fancy woven dress plaids—regular 25c goods. Wednesday, choice..... 12½c

**Wash Laces**—Choice of beautiful line of Laces, also Insertions, for Wednesday, per yard..... 3½c

**Hose Supporters**—Ladies' and Children's Hose Supporters, worth up to 50c; some silk ones in the lot; Wednesday, from 10 to 12, at..... 2c

**Handkerchiefs**—Men's and Ladies' Hemstitched, plain white and colored borders, worth up to 10c; Wednesday, from 10 to 12, at..... 3⅓c

**Corsets**—Special Sale of Corsets for two hours, splendid shape, never sold for less than 35c; Wednesday, from 10 to 12..... 10c

**$1.00 Shirts**—200 dozen Men's High-Grade Shirts of odds and ends, made of Percales, Amoskeag and some Madras—all styles—some with collars attached, some without collars—dress shirts and working shirts—worth up to $1.00—come early and get first choice—11 to 2..... 19c

**Oxfords**—Ladies', Misses' and Children's Sandals, Oxford Ties and Colonials, in vici kid or patent leather—worth up to $2.00 a pair—on sale Wednesday at 98c, 75c, 69c and..... 49c

# Schaper Bros.

ST. LOUIS CHEAPEST STORE

BROADWAY, BETWEEN FRANKLIN AVE. AND MORGAN ST.

8 to 10 O'Clock
25c Wall Lamp, Just like cut..... 10c

10 to 12 O'Clock
A $1.50 Russian Iron Gas or Gasoline Stove oven, for..... 49c

1 to 3 O'Clock
A 35c solid steel Fry Pan, from 1 to 3 o'clock..... 5c

3 to 5 O'Clock
10c Cups and Saucers, special from 3 to 5 o'clock, each..... 1c

### BOYS' SUITS.

Big bargain in Boys' School Suits; good, serviceable material; sizes up to 14 years; regular $2 value, Wednesday..... 98c

Boys' All-Wool Pants, sizes up to 14 years; worth 50c; Wednesday only..... 25c

Boys' Waists; well made and fast colors; all sizes; worth 25c; Wednesday only..... 8c

Infants' Sacques, in dainty colors, worth 60c, for 43c and 25c, and some soiled hand-crochet sacques for..... 15c

**75c Carpet, 35c.**

All-Wool Ingrain Carpet, 4-ply, 1 yard wide; regular price 75c; Wednesday, per yard..... 35c

**Lace Curtains, 25c.**

Manufactured Samples of Lace Curtains, full width and 2¾ yards long; worth $1.25 a pair, Wednesday, each..... 25c

### WEDNESDAY BULLETIN
## SCHAPER BROS.' BARGAIN BASEMENT

GINGHAM—2000 yards of good apron check, in blue and white, brown and white; regular 6c quality..... 3½c

PERCALE—1000 yards of yard-wide Percale, splendid wrapper patterns; worth 10c yard; yard..... 5c

PILLOW CASES — 1000 dozen Bleached Pillow Cases, with hem—worth 10c—from 8 to 10, in basement, each..... 7½c

DRESS GINGHAMS—20,000 yards of all the new styles of Dress Ginghams; splendid assortment Shirt Waist Patterns; worth 12½c..... 7½c

SHEETS—40 doz. Bleached and Unbleached Bed Sheets, larger size, with wide hem— worth 60c..... 44c

SHEETS—50 dozen large-size Bed Sheets, bleached or unbleached, with wide hem—these sheets are worth 60c—sale price..... 39c

PERCALES—5000 yards of good Percale, splendid assortment, stripes, in light and dark, all new spring patterns; splendid Shirt Waist patterns; worth 12½c yard; yard..... 8⅓c

MUSLINS—3000 yards of Unbleached Muslins, 1 yard wide, sateen finish, worth 6c yard; yard..... 3½c

SHEETING—2000 yards of double-width Bed Sheeting, worth 23c yard; in basement..... 15c

READY-MADE SHEETS—50 dozen Ready-made Unbleached Bed Sheets, wide hem—worth 50c—8 to 10, in basement, each..... 29c

MUSLIN — Remnants of Bleached Muslin, good as Fruit of the Loom, yard wide—for two hours only; in basement, per yard..... 5c

CALICOES—Remnants of Simpson's best solid black Calico—from 8 to 10, in basement, per yard..... 2½c

### SOILED WOOL BLANKETS.

SOILED WOOL BLANKETS—500 pairs of All-Wool Blankets, some of them fine California Wool Blankets, worth up to $10.00 pair; will close out Wednesday at (pair) $4.98, $3.95, $3.45, $2.95 and..... $1.25

## HOUR SALE.

**Mennen's Talcum Powder**—Wednesday, from 8 to 10, per can..... 9c

**Underwear**—Men's fine Balbriggan Underwear, ribbed and plain, nicely finished with pearl buttons, in plain and fancy colors—worth up to 40c—Wednesday, while they last, 9 to 10..... 12½c

**Boys' School Caps**—All styles, jockey and golf, worth up to 25c—Wednesday, 2 to 3..... 10c

**Hose**—Children's fast black seamless, worth 15c—Wednesday, from 8 to 10, per pair..... 5c

**Pearl Buttons**—Pure White, worth 8c, Wednesday, from 9 to 10, per dozen..... 1c

**Underwear**—Ladies' and Children's low neck and sleeveless Vests, some mercerized Silk among them—Wednesday, from 10 to 12..... 2½c

**Toweling**—1 case of blue and red Checked Glass Toweling, worth 5c—Wednesday, from 8 to 10, at, per yard..... 1½c

**Bed Spreads**—200 double size Bed Spreads, worth 59c, Special for Wednesday..... 39c

**Huck Towels**—Sizes 20x50, fancy red border and fringe, worth up to 12½c, Wednesday for..... 5c

**Napkins**—150 dozen of All-Linen Fringed Napkins—from 8 to 10, in basement, each..... 2½c

**White Silk**—20 pieces of white Japanese Silks, worth 45c, Wednesday special sale price..... 25c

**Dress Skirts**—100 New $3.00 All-Wool Melton Walking Skirts to be sold Wednesday at..... $1.98

**Cloth Skirts**—A grand selection of New Venetian, Cheviot and Broadcloth Skirts, with flounce or flare, nicely trimmed, in all shades, a regular $5.00 skirt Wednesday, only..... $2.98

**Silk Waists**—A Taffeta Silk Waist, beautifully tucked, hemstitched and trimmed, a regular $3.00 waist for..... $1.98

**75c Granite Tea Kettle**—Number 8 best size, in this sale Wednesday, 8 to 9, only..... 10c


## MRS. ELLEN ABBOTT VS. MRS. ELLEN ABBOTT

COMPLAINANT AND DEFENDANT OF SAME NAME.

### CASE BEFORE JUDGE SIDENER

#### He Discharged the Defendant, Who Was the Prosecuting Witness, Daughter-in-Law.

Judge Sidener and the other city officials of the City Hall Police Court looked surprised when Deputy Marshal Smith called on Mrs. Ellen Abbott Tuesday morning to prosecute Mrs. Ellen Abbott.

Two women appeared in answer to the names, however, one dropping into the defendant's chair and the other mounting the stand as prosecuting witness.

The latter stated that she resided at 2924 Olive street, and that her namesake was her daughter-in-law, who roomed at 2921 Olive street.

The mother-in-law explained that she and the other Mrs. Abbott are not on good terms; that they had been in litigation over property, and that her son was not living with the defendant.

She declared that after the separation the younger Mrs. Abbott rented a room directly across the street from where she (the mother-in-law) resided and averred that her purpose in so doing was to annoy her.

She cited as a specific instance of this disposition on the part of the younger Mrs. Abbott that she ran across the street after midnight recently and rang her mother-in-law's doorbell.

The younger Mrs. Abbott explained that she had recently secured a judgment in the property controversy against her mother-in-law for $1500, and that the elder Mrs. Abbott was therefore angry at her.

The court discharged the defendant. Both were represented by counsel and had an array of witnesses.

## NOODLE MAKER'S HAND HURT.

### Macaroni Machine Crushed an Italian's Palm.

A macaroni machine Tuesday morning crushed the right hand of Joseph Ruffino, an Italian, 36 years old, residing at 1017 North Seventh street.

The machine is in the macaroni factory of the Gandolfo-Ghio Co., 104 South Eighth street, where Ruffino is employed as a noodle-maker.

He walked to the City Dispensary after extricating his hand from the machine. Dr. Vogel dressed the injury and sent the Italian to the City Hospital.

### Sandbag Blow Was Fatal.

SARATOGA, Aug. 26.—Fred West of Boston is dead here from the effects of being sandbagged. Mr. West had just emerged from a clubhouse near Broadway when he was set upon by two men, who beat him down and emptied his pockets of several thousand dollars.

## THE MARKETS

### TOO COOL AND TOO WET.

Summary of Crop Conditions From Official Sources.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—Following is the agricultural department's weekly summary of crop conditions:

As a whole, the weather conditions east of the Rocky mountains have not been favorable, being too cool in the northern districts eastward of the Missouri valley, with too much moisture in portions of the central valleys while excessively hot in the southern states with drouth of greater or lesser severity generally throughout the cotton belt. Although cool, the conditions were fairly favorable for maturing crops in the Ohio Valley and over the southern portion of the Middle Atlantic states as well as on the Pacific coast.

Corn is greatly in need of warm, dry weather throughout the northern portion of the corn belt, where the abnormally cool weather of the past two weeks has greatly retarded its maturity. Over the south portion of the corn belt an excellent crop of early corn is now practically secured.

In portions of Iowa and central Illinois corn has badly lodged as a result of local storms.

Spring wheat harvest is unfinished in the northern portion of the Red river valley, where it has been interrupted by frequent showers which have also seriously interfered with stacking and threshing. Sprouting and rotting in stack and shock are reported from Iowa and in southern Minnesota threshed wheat is damp and discolored. Harvest is about three-fourths finished in Oregon and will be completed in Washington during the present week with yields about the average, though less than expected.

A decided deterioration in the condition of cotton is reported generally throughout the central and western portions of the cotton belt, as well as over a large part of the eastern districts. The most favorable reports are from the Carolinas. In North Carolina the condition of the crop continues very promising, although the prevalence of rust is widespread. On stiff soils in South Carolina new growth is blooming and fruiting, but on sandy soils rust, shedding and premature opening are prevalent. Throughout the central and western districts, with the exception of northern Mississippi and portions of Oklahoma and Indian Territory, where the crop is doing well, the reports indicate a decided decline in its condition, rust, shedding and premature opening being general. On Texas the deterioration has been pronounced and under the most favorable future weather conditions a yield in excess of the average is improbable.

## PRODUCE MARKETS.

EGGS—Receipts, 3393 packages local and 389 through; shipped, 618 packages; market steady to 14½c for case count and 16c loss off.

POULTRY, GAME, ETC.

LIVE POULTRY—Old chickens quiet but steady; chickens, hens, 9½c; roosters, 6c; spring chickens, 13c; spring ducks, 9½c; spring geese, 7c; spring turkeys, 13c; old turkeys, 12c; pigeons and squabs, $1 per doz. Dressed iced poultry is about 1c higher than live.

DRESSED—Quiet. Choice small, 6¼@7c; heavy, 9½c; heretics and poor stock, 4½@5c.

SHEEP—Choice, 2½@3c; poor ewes and bucks, 1½@2c; lambs, 3½@4c.

FROG LEGS—Large, $1.50; medium, $1; small, 50c.

DRY SALT MEATS—Boxed lots in a jobbing way: Extra shorts at 11c, ribs at 11¼c, short clear at 11½c, bellies at 12c, plates at 9½c, fat backs at 10½c, standard backs at 11½c. Dealers charge higher on orders.

LARD—Wooden, $6 per box; pliver, $1.25 per dozen.

FRESH FISH—Per pound: Sunfish, 4c; crappie, 6c for small to 8c for large; bass, 11c; dressed cat, 9c; spoonbill cat, 15c; bullhead cat, 6c; eels, dressed, 8½c; gross buffalo, 3c; dressed do, 4½c for large and 3½c for small; dressed German carp, 3½c; small, 2c; gross, 2½c; buffalo, 3c.

BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 21c; firsts, 19c; seconds, 17@18c; dairy, extras, 18c; firsts, 16½@17c; ladle-packed, extras, 17c; firsts, 14½@16½c; country packed, 12c; fair, 9@11c; grease, 4c.

CHEESE—Twins, 11c; singles, 11¼c; daisies, 11½c; Young Americas, 11½c; long horns, 11¾c; limburger, 10@11½c; Swiss, choice, 16@17c; No. 2, 12½@13c; brick, 11½@12c.

MELONS.

WATERMELONS—Home grown, fancy large, $25@65 per car. Jobbing at $12@20 per 100, delivered.

CANTALOUPES—Home-grown receipts from Rockyfords, standard crates, $1.25@2.25. Nutmegs, 25@50c per box; muskmelons, 20@50c.

FRUITS.

APPLES—Lower. Most receipts from Illinois at $1@1.75 per bbl; fancy varieties, $2@2.75.

CRAB APPLES—Home-grown at 20@30c per ½-bu basket.

PEARS—La Conte, $3 per bbl. Arkansas and Georgia Kiefers, $2@2.50.

PEACHES—Scarce and high. Receipts mostly Missouri fruit; 6-basket crates, $1.25@1.50.

ORANGES—Mexican, $3.75. California seedlings, $4@$4.25; late Valencia, $4.10@4.35.

LEMONS—California, $2@2.25 per crate.

PINEAPPLES—Florida, $2.25@2.45 per crate.

BANANAS—Choice, $1@2 per bunch.

COCOANUTS—On orders, $3 per 100.

DRIED FRUITS—Small receipts of new apples, but prices still nominal. Evaporated apples, 5@6c; chops, cores and peelings, 1¼@2¼c; sun-dried at from 4@5c; sound to choice. Peaches nominal. All wet, sour, damaged and inferior less.

BRANS AND PEAS—White beans—Choice hand-picked pea beans cast side offered at $1.75@1.85 per bushel without buyers or firm bids. From store here, White beans at $1.90 for hand-picked and $1 for machine-picked and $1.75 for screened. Dried green peas—Ordinary, $1.75; Scotch, $1.85; split peas, $2; blackeye, $2.25; California pink (per pound), 3¾c; New York kidney, 4½c; Lima beans, 4¾@5c; lentils, 4½c.

HONEY—Comb—Dark, 6@8c; bright amber, 10@11c; white alfalfa, 15c—Inferior and broken less. Extracted and strained—Southern, in barrels, 4½@5c; in cans, 5@6c. California, in cans, 6@6½c.

WOOL, HIDES, ETC.

WOOL—Missouri and Illinois combing and clothing mixed, 15@18½c; delaine, 17½@18½c; braid, 16½@17c; burry and clear mixed, 15@17c; burry, 13@14c; hard burry, 10@11c; light fine, 16@16½c; heavy fine, 12@13c. Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota—Bright medium, 15@17c; dark, 15@15½c; light fine, 15@15c; heavy fine, 10@11c. Angora goat hair—Clear, 22@25c; slight burry, 18@21c; hard burry, 11c. Kansas, Nebraska, Dakota and western—Bright medium, 16@16½c; dark, 14@15c; light fine, 13@14½c; heavy and buck, 9@11c. Texas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma—Medium, fine, @17c; coarse and low, 13@16c; light fine, 13@16c; heavy sandy, 10@11c. Arkansas and southern—Medium (fleeces), 17@18c; medium (loose), 16@17c; burry, 12@13c; hard burry, 9@10c. Tub-washed—No. 1, 25½@26c. No. 2, 20@22c; burry, 16@17c.

HIDES—Offerings small; mostly of light weight, bag-cuts, and for which there is no demand. Choice heavy scarce, firm and wanted. Dry flint—Texas heavy, 15c; Texas average, 13¾c; fallen, 13@13½c; native and Arkansas, 13c; No. 1 native, 13½c; No. 2 native, 12c; light and southern, 12c; bull, 10c; culls or glue, 7c; horse, each, 75c. Dry salted—Round, heavy, 12c; round, light, 10½c; No. 1, 12½c; No. 2, 10½c. Green salted—Western, 8c; southern, 7¾c; selected No. 1, 8½c; selected No. 2, 7¾c; bull, 1c per pound less than cow hides; part cured ½c per pound less than cured; uncured 1c per pound less than cured; culls, 4c. Horse—No. 1, $2.75; No. 2, $1.25; uncured less.

FEATHERS—Prime white live goose, in small sacks, 45c, and in large sacks, 43c; prime gray do, 38@40c; x, 28@34c; xx, 18@24c; xxx, 10@14c; xxxx, 5c tare, 20 per cent on small sacks and 3 per cent on large. Chicken, 5c. Ducks—White, 35c; dark, 25c.

ROOTS—Per lb: Ginseng, $3.50@4; lady slipper, 8c; seneca, 30c; pink, 14c; golden seal, 45@46c; black, 4c; May apple, 2½c; snake, 28@30c—white worthless; angelica, 5@6c; wahoo—bark of root, 8c; bark of tree, 2½c; blood, 3½c; bloodleaf, 3c; sassafras, bark of root, 5c; wild ginger, 6c.

BEESWAX—Prime at 26c.

SHEEP PELTS—Full-wool, 50@90c; shearing, 40@45c. Dry fallen, etc., 8c per pound.

SEEDS AND BEANS.

GRASS SEEDS—Timothy firm and active at $3 to $3.85 for current receipts to $4.25 nominally for bright clean. Clover scarce and wanted; good car lots at $7.50 to $9. Millet nominal at 75c to 90c. New redtop salable at $4 for choice seed in chaff.

## LIVESTOCK.

### National Stockyards.

TODAY'S RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Native cattle | 1,500 |
| Southern cattle | 8,000 |
| Sheep | 1,000 |
| Sheep | 2,100 |
| Horses and mules | 350 |

NATIVE CATTLE—A fair run of offerings was on sale today in the native division, consisting of several good loads of beef steers, but nothing extra fine. Prices steady for beef cattle, butcher cattle, bulls, canners, stockers and veal calves. On account of inclement weather the market was slower than if it had been clear.

SALES.

| No. | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 17 | beef steers | 1222 | $6 55 |
| 33 | beef steers | 1229 | 6 50 |
| 8 | stock steers | 925 | 4 30 |
| 14 | stock steers | 771 | 4 15 |
| 6 | butcher heifers | 836 | 3 75 |
| 5 | butcher heifers | 588 | 3 30 |
| 20 | butcher heifers | 615 | 3 30 |
| 1 | butcher bull | 900 | 3 40 |
| 4 | butcher bulls | 902 | 3 30 |
| 14 | native cows | 991 | 3 15 |
| 1 | native cow | 1250 | 3 85 |
| 6 | veal calves | 146 | 5 75 |

SOUTHERN CATTLE—A fair run of cattle was on sale today in the quarantine division. The market was very slow, prices for steers about steady, with some weak spots. Cows fully steady, also calves.

SALES.

| | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 23 | Texas steers | 952 | $3 90 |
| 19 | Texas steers | 936 | 3 50 |
| 8 | Texas steers | 887 | 3 50 |
| 1 | Texas heifer | 680 | 3 50 |
| 34 | Texas heifers | 723 | 3 20 |
| 2 | Texas cows | 975 | 2 25 |
| 4 | Texas cows | 855 | 2 10 |
| 15 | Texas cows | 851 | 2 00 |
| 26 | cows and heifers | 823 | 2 90 |
| 27 | cows and heifers | 645 | 2 85 |
| 1 | Texas bull | 1250 | 2 50 |
| 1 | Texas bull | 830 | 2 40 |
| 139 | Texas calves | | 9 50 |
| 98 | Texas calves | | 9 00 |
| 88 | Texas calves | | 8 75 |
| 84 | Texas calves | | 8 25 |

HOGS—Small run of hogs on sale today. Quality fair. Demand good. Prices 20c higher than the opening of the week.

SALES.

| No. | Av. | Price. | No. | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 80 | 218 | $7 85 | 65 | 226 | $7 85 |
| 38 | 219 | 7 85 | 82 | 188 | 7 80½ |
| 72 | 208 | 7 70 | 58 | 190 | 7 70 |
| 26 | 248 | 7 70 | 73 | 203 | 7 70 |
| 30 | 150 | 7 65 | 82 | 196 | 7 60 |
| 55 | 209 | 7 55 | 20 | 200 | 7 55 |
| 31 | 200 | 7 45 | 62 | 194 | 7 40 |
| 38 | 199 | 7 25 | 46 | 131 | 7 10 |

SHEEP—Moderate run of sheep on sale today, consisting of fair quality lambs and mutton sheep. Demand was fair, prices steady.

SALES.

| | | Av. | Price. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 82 | lambs | 73 | $5 75 |
| 57 | lambs | 69 | 5 25 |
| 15 | lambs | 61 | 5 25 |
| 41 | lambs | 68 | 5 15 |
| 44 | lambs | 69 | 5 00 |
| 36 | lambs | 59 | 4 70 |
| 106 | lambs | 72 | 4 75 |
| 14 | sheep | 106 | 3 75 |
| 54 | sheep | 110 | 3 85 |
| 15 | sheep | 127 | 3 75 |
| 3 | bucks | 140 | 2 50 |

HORSES—The horse trade is exceedingly good, prices are strong and the market active; in fact, the showing so far in the week is the best of the season. All classes are finding an outlet, even to the small and common kinds.

HORSE QUOTATIONS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| **Heavy draft—** | | |
| Common to good | $120 00 | $150 00 |
| Choice to extra | 160 00 | 185 00 |
| **Chunks, 1150 to 1350 pounds—** | | |
| Fair to good | 85 00 | 90 00 |
| Good to choice | 85 00 | 110 00 |
| **Coach horses and cobs—** | | |
| Fair to good | 140 00 | 175 00 |
| Choice to extra | 200 00 | 250 00 |
| **Horses for the South—** | | |
| Small, light drivers, fair to good | 30 00 | 45 00 |
| Choice to extra | 50 00 | 80 00 |
| **Southern drivers, large—** | | |
| Fair to good | 80 00 | 120 00 |
| Export chunks, 1200 to 1500 pounds— | | |
| Plain to good | 75 00 | 90 00 |
| Choice to extra | 100 00 | 120 00 |
| **Business drivers—** | | |
| Fair to good | 85 00 | 110 00 |
| Choice to extra | 125 00 | 150 00 |
| **Saddlers for southern use—** | | |
| Fair to good | 75 00 | 90 00 |
| Choice to extra | 100 00 | 135 00 |
| **Fancy gaited and N. Y. saddlers—** | 150 00 | 300 00 |
| Inferior horses | | |
| Common small plugs | 20 00 | 30 00 |
| Heavy work plugs | 40 00 | 60 00 |

MULES—The fresh arrivals of mules are selling well. Demand is confined mostly to local trade and strong prices prevail. The dealers are showing a disposition to buy all the decent mules that come in. The fat, ready-to-work kinds are meeting with a fine outlet locally, and all sizes of these are selling readily. Talk is ordinarily the commencement of the feeding season, but the dealers are not

# POST-DISPATCH DAILY RECORD OF FINANCIAL AND MARKET DOINGS

## WEST IS REALIZING ON WALL ST.'S RISE

### HEAVY SELLING IN ATCHISON FOR A CHICAGO HOUSE.

### GOULDS ARE STILL BUSY.

**Strong Buying Into Texas & Pacific and Missouri Pacific—Pennsylvania Interests After C. & O.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Arbitrage houses have dealt in between 40,000 and 50,000 shares of stocks today, buying a small amount, prooably not exceeding 5000 shares, on balance. There appears to have been considerable western realizing on the advance.

There was very heavy selling of Atchison by Wrenn Bros., thought to be for a Chicago account.

During the first hour the market was very active and strong and almost all stocks advanced above last night's close. Union Pacific and Atchison were the leaders. Southern Pacific was rather quiet and it was thought that some of the buyers of last week were taking advantage of the strength of the general market to liquidate in Southern Pacific. Pennsylvania houses were large buyers of C. & O., but the volume of stocks for sale above 56½ was greater than the powers of absorption.

The Gould brokers were large buyers of their specialties, more especially of Texas & Pacific and Missouri Pacific. The market became dull after the first hour, but prices were well maintained.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—There were large opening transactions in the speculative favorites in which the quotations for several were wide. Eight thousand shares of Chesapeake & Ohio sold at 56¼ to 56⅝, compared with 56⅜ last night, and 4000 shares of Union Pacific sold at 112¾ and 113⅛, compared with 112 last night. Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania, Erie first preferred, Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie and Tennessee Coal rose a point or more and Colorado Fuel made a violent advance of 2½. Southern Pacific reflected realizing with a fractional decline, and a few other stocks sagged slightly.

Profits were sought quickly in Baltimore & Ohio and Colorado Fuel, and they relapsed about a point each. Heavy buying was going on meanwhile in Atchison, Texas & Pacific and Union Pacific the first named rising nearly 2 and the others over a point. At other points the movement was unimportant and irregular. Southern Pacific, after a rally, sold to ½ under last night with continued realizing. Lackawanna advanced 4 points. Active stocks were very irregular. Illinois Central fell off about a point, while Baltimore & Ohio rallied and St. Paul and Reading rose a point.

Prices continued to move very unevenly. Specialative interest shifted rapidly here and there. Erie, Reading second preferred, Illinois Central and Kansas & Texas preferred were bid up a point. General Electric 5, Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg 3, Pacific Coast 2, and Anaconda 2. Considerable of the rise in early strong features was wiped out, notably in Union Pacific and Baltimore & Ohio, the latter falling ¾ under yesterday's closing. Southern Pacific, Western Canada Southern, Toledo, St. Louis & Western preferred, North American and Bicycle preferred declined between 1 and 2 points.

Bonds were steady at noon.

Renewed buying of Atchison carried it to 95¾. Missouri Pacific led a movement in the Southwesterns with a rise of 1¼. Kansas & Texas preferred jumped 3. The upward movement was still without momentum, earlier, strong stocks dropping back, while these new advances were made. Amongst less active stocks American Express and United States Express rose 2@2½, New Jersey Central 2¾ and Pullman a point. General Electric reacted 1½ and Pacific Coast second preferred, International Silver preferred and New York Air Brake lost 1@1½.

A drop in Western Union to a figure a point below yesterday's close influenced scattered selling of other active stocks. Baltimore & Ohio, however, resisted the drift successfully and on purchase of large blocks, and running up to 1000 shares, touched 115¼ again—the opening price. Rock Island declined a point and some obscure stocks were heavy. United States Express extended its rise to 5 points and the Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic and Rubber Goods stocks improved 1 to 2¾.

## WIFE NO. 1 ON THE SCENE.

**Became Servant for Wife No. 2 to Expose Alleged Wrongs.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHARLESTON, Ill., Aug. 26.—Jacob Davis, a prosperous farmer, has filed a suit for divorce from a wife his neighbors did not know he had.

Six years ago he married a young woman who lived in this community and they lived harmily until a strange woman was engaged by them, upon application, as servant. The strange woman soon convinced Mrs. Davis that she was Davis' real wife as she could claim priority in that position, having married him many years ago.

Mrs. Davis No. 2 promptly drove him from his home.

He came to this city where he filed his divorce suit against wife No. 1, the petition charging desertion.

## LIMITATION STATUTE VOID.

**Federal Court Decision on Case Brought From Colorado.**

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 26.—Judge Sanborn of the United States court of appeals, in deciding the case of Aaron Keyser, brought here on a nappeal from the circuit court of the United States for the District of Colorado, held that the Colorado statute of limitation is void and in violation of the constitution of the United States. The case dates back to 1885, when the plaintiff secured judgment against the defendant in the Utah courts. In 1901 action upon the judgment given in 1885 was begun and judgment rendered in favor of the plaintiff for $9,052.61. When the judgment was obtained the cause of action was barred by the Colorado statute of limitation. Judge Sanborn's decision was very lengthy, and reverses the decision of the lower court.

## SEVEN ROBBERS STOP TRAIN.

**But Explosives Fail to Work and They Secure Nothing.**

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 26.—The westbound Northern Pacific train was robbed at Sand Point, Idaho, 65 miles east of here, last night.

The robbers, of whom there were seven, forced the engineer to stop the train, after which they uncoupled the baggage car. Then they compelled the engineer to pull up the track about three miles, where they tried to wreck the baggage car with dynamite.

The explosives failed to work, and after spending 15 minutes with the car, the robbers ran away, allowing the engineer to go back to the train with his engine.

Two other thugs had guarded the train, keeping the passengers inside by firing revolvers along the sides. No attempt was made to molest the passengers, and after the engine returned the other robbers fled and the train came on to Spokane. The train was in charge of Conductor William Gilbert of Helena. It was heavily loaded.

## MINERS WERE SUFFOCATED.

**Explosion of a Compressor Was Fatal to Two.**

BUTTE, Mont., Aug. 26.—Word has been received in this city of the death of Kreg Sample and Thomas Whitcomb, two miners in the properties of the Great Northern Mining Co. at Gilt Edge, Mont. The mine compressor exploded and the two men were suffocated. The others had narrow escapes and were rescued in an unconscious condition.

## MARKET INCLINED TO LOWER PRICES

### GENERAL EASING OFF IN THE WHOLE LIST TUESDAY.

### MISSOURI STILL WANTED

**Rumors of a Dividend in January of Next Year Accepted on the Street —Edisons Were Again Weak.**

The general list with the exception of Missouri Trust was inclined to sell off today and there was quite an amount of profit taking. The tractions and Missouri Trust were almost the sole points of interest in the market. Missouri-Edison securities again ruled weak.

On the opening Transit was off ¼ at 32 asked, at which figure 50 shares changed hands. Later it lost an eighth, selling 300 shares at 31⅞. The preferred again was the stronger, holding firm and selling at 84¾ and 84¾. Two thousand United Railway 4s went at 87⅜, closing firm at that figure. Suburban securities and St. Louis and Meramec were again wanted at yesterday's figures, but none were offered. One thousand St. Louis Cable & Western sold at 116, a loss of two points from the last sale.

Mechanics' sold at 300, the high mark being due to the excellent showing of the institution and renewed rumors of a further increase in the capital stock. Third National was again forgotten, notwithstanding the recent return of its president which was popularly supposed to presage important developments.

The continued strength in Missouri Trust is credited to the report that its first dividend has been earned and will be paid in January. The president stated this morning that no dividend would be paid this year, but was silent on a January of next year payment. The stock today sold liberally from 128¾ to 129, a slight shade of yesterday's prices.

The miscellaneous list was neglected and ruled steady, with the exception of Central Coal & Coke, which on the srength of reports of a pool being formed, advanced to 67¾ bid and 68¼ asked.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

| | Bid. | Asked. |
|---|---|---|
| American Central Trust | $175 50 | |
| Colonial Trust | | |
| Commonwealth Trust (new) | 307 00 | $325 00 |
| Germania Trust | 215 00 | 215 50 |
| Lincoln Trust | | |
| Mercantile Trust | | |
| Missouri Trust | 128 37½ | 128 50 |
| Mississippi Valley Trust | 458 00 | 460 00 |
| St. Louis Union Trust | | |
| Title Guaranty Trust | | |
| Boatmen's Bank | | |
| National Bank of Commerce | 397 00 | |
| American Exchange | 327 50 | 328 00 |
| Fourth National Bank | | 345 00 |
| Mechanics' National Bank | 290 00 | 300 00 |
| Merchants'-Laclede National | | |
| South Side | 130 00 | |
| State National | | |
| Third National | | |
| St. Louis Transit | 31 87½ | 32 00 |
| United Railways pfd | 84 50 | 84 75 |
| do 4s | 87 25 | 87 37½ |
| St. Louis & Suburban | 78 00 | |
| do 5s | 104 00 | |
| do incomes | 92 00 | |
| St. Louis & Meramec River | 113 00 | |
| St. Louis Cable & Western | 116 00 | |
| Central Coal and Coke | 67 75 | 68 25 |
| Laclede Gas Light com | | |
| Missouri-Edison E. L. Co. pfd | 43 00 | 44 25 |
| do com | 17 00 | 17 50 |
| do 5s | 80 75 | |
| St. Louis Brewery 6s (large) | 97 00 | |
| do (small) | 102 00 | |
| American Central Ins. Co. | 281 50 | 285 00 |
| Ely Walker Dry Goods Co. com | 120 00 | |
| Simmons Hardware 2d pfd | 145 50 | 147 00 |
| American Gold Mining Co. | 75 | 77½ |
| Granite-Bimetallic | | |
| Merrell Drug pfd | 100 00 | |
| St. Louis Cotton Compress | 55 00 | 60 00 |

SALES.

St. Louis Transit, 100 at 32 and 400 at $31.87½.
Missouri Trust, 20 at $129, 65 at $128.50, 10 at $128.25 and 10 at $128.87½.
Mechanics' National Bank, 55 at $300.
United Railways preferred, 5 at $84.75 and 50 at $84.62½.
St. Louis Cable and Western at $116.
Missouri-Edison 5s, 3000 at $90.
United Railways 4s, 2000 at $87.
Colonial Trust, 25 at $219.

### ST. LOUIS MONEY MARKET.

Business was active in banking and trust circles Tuesday. There was an active demand for money and counter business was large. Rates were firm at 5@5½ per cent for call and 5½@6 per cent in the extreme for time loans. Clearings were $6,410,827, with balances of $1,168,861.

### New York Bond Sales.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Bond sales today by thousands were as follows:

FIRST CALL.

American Bike 5s, 10 at 62½.
Atch. gen. 4s, 8 at 103⅞@104.
B. & O. gold 4s, 8 at 103⅜.
do con. deb. 4s, 17 at 114¼@115½.
do S.-W. div. 3½s, 9 at 99¾.
Central Ga. 1st inc. 5s, 4 at 81½.
do 2d inc. 5s, 20 at 30½.
C. P. gld. 4s, 7 at 101.
C. & O. gen. 4½s, 4 at 108⅝.
C. B. Q. 4s joint, 19 at 95⅞.
Chicago term. 4s, 4 at 90.
C. F. I. con. 5s, 75 at 99@99½.
Con. Tob. 4s, 15 at 56⅝.
D. M. & M. L. L. G. 3½s, 15 at 68@68¼.
Erie 1st gen. 4s, 15 at 86½.
Ft. W. D. C. 1st, 10 at 114.
G. R. & W. deb. ctfs, B, 7 at 21@22.
Lac. Gas 1st 5s, 3 at 108¼.
M. K. & T. 1st 4s, 10 at 100.
do 2d 4s, 18 at 84⅝@84¾.
N. Y. C. 1st 7s reg., 5 at 101⅜.
N. & W. Pocs. 4s, 20 at 94½.
N. P. gen. 3s, 1 at 75.
Hdg. gen. 4s, 3 at 93¾@93⅞.
St. L. I. M. (In. & Ref. 4s, 10 at 94¼.
St. L. S.-W. 1st 4s, 3 at 90@90½.
Seaboard gold 4s, 10 at 88½.
Third Av. con. 4s, 20 at 98¾@98⅞.
U. P. conv., 1,855,000 at 111¾@112¾.
Wab. deb. B, 120 at 77½@78¾.
Wis. Cent. gen. 4s, 6 at 93.

SECOND CALL.

Atch. 4s, 5 at 104.
do adj. stamped, 1 at 94⅜.
B. & O. conv., 70 at 116¼@116.
C. F. I. conv., 10 at 99.
Cen. Ga. 2d inc., 10 at 27½.
C. & O. 4½s, 10 at 108¼.
C. B. Q. 4s, 49 at 95⅞.
Gen. Ga. 2d inc., 2 at 30½.
D. M. & M. Gn. T., 13 at 68@68¼.
Erie G. M. Lien, 9 at 86½.
Ft. W. D. C. 1sts, 10 at 114.
K. C. So. 4s, 8 at 91⅜.
M. K. T. 4s, 4 at 100.
Mex. Cen. 1st inc., 4 at 32.
M. K. & T. St. L. 4s, 10 at 87½.
N. Y. & W. Pocs 4s, 5 at 94¼.
N. P. 3s, 26 at 74⅞.
Pennsylvania warrants, 183 at 108¾@108¾.
P. & R. 1sts, 19 at 100⅜.
Reading 4s, 2 at 98¼@98¾.
St. L. S. W. 2ds, 22 at 90¼.
S. P. 4s, 15 at 94¼.
Seaboard 4s, 6 at 88@88½.
do 5s, 10 at 106.
St. L. S.-W. 1st, 3 at 90⅜.
Toledo 4s, 4 at 83⅜.
U. P. 4s, 5 at 104⅝.
do conv., 312 at 111¼@112¾.
W. L. E. 4s, 5 at 97.
Wab. B, 115 at 77⅞.

### London Closing Stocks.

LONDON, Aug. 26, 4 p. m.—Consols for money, 94⅞; consols for account, 94⅞; Anaconda, 5¼; Atchison, 96⅝; do pfd., 105⅜; Baltimore & Ohio, 118½; Canadian Pacific, 143½; Chesapeake & Ohio, 58; Chicago Great Western, 35½; Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, 192¼; Denver & Rio Grande, 51¾; do pfd., 98; Erie, 42⅜; do 1st pfd., 72¾; do 2d pfd., 58¾; Illinois Central, 174; Louisville & Nashville, 160; New York Central, 169; Norfolk & Western, 74¼; do pfd., 95; Ontario & Western, 37¼; Pennsylvania, 83½; Reading, 35; do 1st pfd., 44¾; do 2d pfd., 37¾; Southern Railway, 41⅜; do pfd., 100; Southern Pacific, 79; Union Pacific, 115¾; do pfd., 95¼; United States Steel, 42¾; do pfd., 92¾; Wabash, 24½; do pfd., 49¾; Spanish 4s, 81½; Rands, 11¾; De Beers, 22⅞. Bar silver, steady, 24 3-16d per ounce. Money, 2½@2¾ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2⅝ per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2¾@2 13-16 per cent.

### New York Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Noon—Money on call steady at 4 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent; sterling exchange fairly steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.86¾@4.87 for demand and at 4.84@4.84¼ for 60 days; posted rates, 4.85¼ and 4.88; commercial bills, 4.83¾@4.84¾; Mexican dollars, 41¼c. Government bonds steady; ref. 2s, reg., 108; do coupon, 108; 3s, reg., 109; do coupon, 106; new 4s, reg., 133; do coupon, 133; old 4s, reg., 109; do coupon, 109; 5s, reg., 104¾; do coupon, 104¾. Bar silver, 59¾c.

## BUYING BY SHORTS APPEARS TO BE OVER

### THE GRAIN MARKETS WEAKEN AND DECLINE IN PRICE.

### SELLING WAS HEAVIER

**Trade Topics.**

Writing under date of Aug. 14, Griffith, Williams & Co. of Liverpool report to Dickson Cunningham & Steadier market for wheat, with a good, healthy spot demand. Arrivals go quickly into consumption, so that stocks not increasing and quantity afloat decreasing. Old wheats eagerly sought after and good premiums paid for spot over that to arrive. Spring wheat firm and unusually scarce. The British and German crops in bad shape, as many fields laid flat, which prevents harvesting machines being used and harvest probably delayed until end of September or well into October. Should weather continue unfavorable the result would be disastrous. Maize very steady, as a great number of cargoes sold for Danubian account being canceled and 1sd to 2s a quarter penalty paid owing to severe damage by drouth. River Plate cargoes also arriving very bad, causing prime stuff to be very scarce and eagerly sought after. Of the crop conditions they say Russia reports good harvest results, except about Odessa and Nicolaieff, where crops are a failure. In some spring wheat districts drouth and fogs did damage. Roumania reports excellent wheat harvests in quantity and quality, but malze damaged by drouth, with over 20 per cent said to be destroyed. Austria-Hungary reports good threshing results in yield, but quality disappointing. In Germany great damage to rye by bad weather and prices advancing; considerable damage to wheat expected. In France harvest proceeds very slowly on account of the number of laid fields. In the north yields disappointing, but very good in the south. An uneven and unsatisfactory rainfall reported in India. Argentine wheat promise excellently, but very extensive damage to linseed in Santa Fe.

Although receipts of winter wheat continue large, this appears to be the final cleaning up of the last heavy movement from the warms and not the result of farmers' deliveries. Farmers are busy now with their fall plowing and seeding and the country movement of grain is light. As soon as they are through with this work they will begin threshing from the stack and another large amount should be seen, though not likely to equal the first run of wheat to the markets. Samples received poor. Local receipts were 477 cars, one of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 282 cars, making a total for the three points of 759 cars, against 572 last week and 1089 a year ago. There was some fear that the forthcoming increase of 5c in freight rates from the Missouri river would curtail shipments.

Corn was fairly active and very erratic again today. Any bid or offering caused wide fluctuations. Stocks here fell off again, receipts were poor and grading poorer. September started unchanged to ½c up, at 50¼c to 50c, broke to 48¾c and rallied to 50¼c. Receipts were 80 cars, six of contract grade.

Receipts of oats were heavy at 533 cars, but there were only 18 cars of standard grade. Shorts still felt nervous over the congestion in September options, but prices slipped off in sympathy with other grains. September started ¼c up to ⅛c down, at 33⅛c to 33¼c, and dipped to 33¾c. Trade was quiet early.

Provisions had a good sport early on higher prices in the hog market and on fair support. All the early gain, however, did not hold. Trade was not active. September pork opened 17½c up, at $17.10, and reacted to $16.97½. September lard started 7½c to 10c up, at $10.95 to $10.97½, and September lard 5c up, at $10.25, and eased off 2½c.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red, 71¾c; No. 3 red, 67@69c; No. 2 hard winter, 71c; No. 3 hard winter, 66@67½c; No. 1 northern spring, 75c; No. 2 northern spring, 73c; No. 3 spring, 70c. Cash corn—No. 2, 50@50c; No. 3, 58¾@59¼c. Cash oats—No. 2, 29¼@29½c; No. 3, 27¾@28c.

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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|---|---|---|---|---|
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| Sept | $16.92 | $17.12 | $16.87 | $16.87 n |
| Oct | 17.03 | 17.22 | 17.00 | 17.00 a |
| **RIBS.** | | | | |
| Sept | 10.20 | 10.25 | 10.10 | 10.15 |
| Oct | 9.25 | 10.05 | 9.97 | 10.00 |
| **LARD.** | | | | |
| Sept | 10.87 | 10.97 | 10.87 | 10.95 a |
| Oct | 9.82 | 9.92 | 9.82 | 9.85 a |

### Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

| | Today. | Yes'day. | Year ago |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 3,958,198 | 3,988,199 | 3,451,515 |
| Corn | 54,994 | 54,994 | 360,529 |
| Oats | 20,771 | 19,827 | 211,184 |
| Rye | 11,344 | 11,344 | 40,806 |
| No. 2 red wheat | 565,057 | 624,125 | 2,768,021 |
| No. 2 hard | 25,000 | 25,989 | 296,040 |
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| No. 2 white corn | 2,241 | 2,241 | 9,388 |
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CLEANER—Windows and paints to clean by ex white man; day or job. W. H. Frank, Camp Jackson Postoffice.

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MAN—Sit. wanted by allround man in printing office; good repairman. Ad. R 97, Post-Dis.

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BOY WANTED—Stout boy, about 18, for labeling. 2020 N. 15th.

BOY WANTED—Touch up after lasting machine. Desnoyer-Courtney, 21st and Lucas.

BOY WANTED—A boy for office work. Ad., in own handwriting, P 34, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—A clean boy for office work; must come well recommended. A. R. Dostal, 302-3-4-5 Commonwealth Trust bldg., 421 Olive st.

BOY WANTED—Boy who is willing to work. Apply at once. Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Co., 1015-19 Washington av., third floor.

BOY WANTED—Boy 15 or 16 years old to tend cigar store; bring refs. Ad. P 30, Post-Dis.

BOYS WANTED—To try Harris' $2 shoes; made for good wear. 400-411 N. 6th st., the best appointed and roomiest shoe store in St. Louis.

BOY WANTED—A good strong boy. Call at 1329 Washington av.

BOYS WANTED—Apply N. K. Fairbank Co., 3d and Convent sts.

BUSHELMAN WANTED—One who understands drafting; A1 man. Apply 210 Century bldg.

BUSHELMAN WANTED—Bushelman who can help with pressing; good wages, steady work. 3917 Finney av.

CANDY MAKER WANTED—First-class candy maker. Apply at Imperial Candy Co., 518 Washington av.

CARPENTERS WANTED—50 bridge carpenters for work on the A. & C. Ry., near Hugo, Indian Territory; long job; good water and healthy country; wages, $2 and $2.50 per day; ship daily. Apply at office for particulars. McCabe & Steen Const. Co., 521 Roe bldg., St. Louis.

CARPENTERS WANTED—Two carpenters, single, to stay with a contractor; nice furnished room and plenty of work on hand. Ad. O 107, P.-D.

CARPENTERS WANTED—Two boat carpenters, Creve Coeur Lake. See manager.

CARPENTERS AND CAR BUILDERS WANTED—Apply 2800 De Kalb.

CARPENTERS WANTED—Carpenters and carbuilders. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill.

CLERKS—Any young man who would like to correspond for newspapers, good pay, experience unnecessary, address Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

CLERK WANTED—Single young man; second clerk in grocery store and to make himself generally useful about store. Theo. Tempel, 2601 Market st.

COMPOSITOR WANTED—Young man; 1 or 2 years' experience typesetting. Progress office, Granite City, Ill.

COATMAKER WANTED—Call at once; only first class workman need apply. A. R. Dastol, 421 Olive st., 5th floor.

CORNICE WORKERS WANTED—First-class galvanized iron cornice workers for inside work. 421 S. 6th st.

COOK WANTED—Young man cook; one who has had some experience in short order cooking and willing to make himself useful; night work. 16 N. 4th st.

COOK WANTED—Man cook for coffee house. 1710 Market st.

COOK WANTED—Colored, man cook, for small boarding house. 4017 Olive st.

COOK WANTED—First-class allround male cook; state price. Ad. Jones Hotel, Flora, Ill.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Man. Thistle Restaurant, 8 N. 14th st.

DRIVERS WANTED—Woods & Down, 13th and Mullanphy.

DRIVER WANTED—Man to drive stake wagon; must have good references; no other need apply. Union Biscuit Co., 6th and Carr sts.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Inquire 712 Carr st.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk; 8 years' experience; college privileges. Apply 5333 Manchester av.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Junior drug clerk; at once. 3201 Franklin av.

DRUG CLERK WANTED—Competent drug clerk, at good pay. 3201 Franklin av.

ENGINEER WANTED—Licensed engineer. Apply 100 S. Grand av. Bambrick-Bates.

ENGINEER WANTED—Licensed engineer for a night job; young man preferred. Apply at once, 711 N. 2d st.

FEEDER WANTED—Cylinder press feeder. Apply 17 S. Main st.

FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers on railway and other architectural wrought iron work. 421 S. 6th st.

HAMMER MEN, ETC., WANTED—Hammer men and bucker-ups; car department. American Steel Foundry Co., Granite City, Ill.

HARNESS MAKER WANTED—Also stitcher. H. C. Janssen, 1306 N. 13th st.

HELPER WANTED—Blacksmith helper. Apply 300 S. Main st.

JAPANNER WANTED—Japanner who has had experience in can shop. 116 Pine st.

LASTER WANTED—Second laster on ladies' flue turn shoes. Desnoyer-Courtney, 21st and Lucas.

LABORERS WANTED—Apply 2800 De Kalb st.

LABORERS WANTED—Sewer and water pipe laborers; uniforms will be ready for them at the Globe Clothing House, 7th and Franklin av.; call early Wednesday. David O'Leary, Sec'y.

LABORERS WANTED—Teamsters, dumpers and laborers; 1 mile east of Ferguson, at Belt Line and Florissant av. James Almany.

LABORERS WANTED—100 laborers for street work; apply 22 N. Main st., East St. Louis, Ill. & Garford.

MACHINIST, ETC., WANTED—Machinist and helpers. 102 N. 12th st.; after 7 p. m., 201 Bates st.

MACHINIST WANTED—For lathe work. Apply N. O. Nelson, 8th and St. Charles sts.

MAN WANTED—Young man to work at home evenings; good pay. Ad. P 43, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Man to work around house and yard. 3803 Finney av.

MAN WANTED—Young man, 19 years old; must be well experienced in restaurant work. Call 110 N. 21st st.

MAN WANTED—Good allround man colored cook. 1908 S. Jefferson av.

MAN WANTED—Man to put up enameled iron signs on doorframes; one having experience and own conveyance preferred. Ad. P 40, Post-Dis.

MAN WANTED—A young man with some knowledge of bookkeeping and accounts, and a first-class penman; state age, experience and salary expected. Ad. R 104, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Young man for general office work and stenographer; good chance for advancement. Ad. R 72, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED—White; at Webster Groves; man for outside work, care for horses, lawn, etc.; woman for general housework and assist in ironing; no washing. Apply J. P. Griuet, 9th floor Bank of Commerce bldg.

MAN WANTED—Colored man for house and dining room work; city ref. required. 3741 West Pine.

MAN WANTED—Single young man for butcher and all-round work; must understand something about slaughter house work. 3130 S. 7th st.

MEN WANTED—20 men, 11th and Cerre, west of Frisco warehouse; steady work. John A. Lynch.

MEN WANTED—20 men and 10 teams on Morgan st., between 6th and 7th sts.; steady work. John A. Lynch.

MEN WANTED—To try Harris' custom toe handmade $4 shoes. 407 N. 6th st.

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MEN WANTED—To learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required; positions waiting graduates; catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st.

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MEN WANTED—Young men about 17 years of age to work in factory. Drey & Kahn Glass Co., 11th and St. Charles sts.

MEN WANTED—Young men wanted any distance, copy letters, home evenings and return to us; we pay $10 per thousand; send addressed envelope, particulars and copy. F. M. C., Dept. 10, Box 1411, Philadelphia.

MOULDER WANTED—Moulder or sticker hand; experienced man; must have furniture factory experience. 2020 N. 15th.

MOLDERS WANTED—Seven good bench molders, one floor molder; steady work. American Car and Foundry Co., St. Charles, Mo.

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OFFICE BOY WANTED—Office boy to run errands and attend telephone; must have good common school education, write good hand and come well recommended; boys under 16 years need not apply; excellent business, with splendid opportunity for advancement; replies not mentioning references will not be considered. Ad. P 45, Post-Dispatch.

OPERATORS WANTED—Experienced, on custom vests. Neuman & Biehle, 807 Pine st.

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PAINTER WANTED—A carriage painter. 1406 N. 7th st.

PORTER WANTED—Young man as porter and assist at bar; German-speaking. 1306 Park av.

POLISHERS WANTED—Polishers and buffers, M. A. Heimann Mfg. Co., 7th and Lucas.

PRINTER WANTED—State lowest price and amount you can do. The Monitor, Festus, Mo.

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PORTER WANTED—Colored porter. 3065 Bell.

PORTER WANTED—An experienced white saloon porter. Minstrel Saloon, 112 N. 6th st.

PORTERS WANTED—Two strong porters at once. H. C. Hollman Produce Co., 823 N. 3d st.

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PRESSFEEDERS WANTED—Pressfeeders. McCallum Printing Co., 3787 N. Broadway.

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PULLERS-OVER WANTED—For lasting machine; coarse shoes. Apply at Fort Smith Shoe Mfg. Co., Fort Smith, Ark.

BUFFER WANTED—A sand buffer on metal, St. Louis Silver Co., 207 Chestnut st.

QUARRYMEN WANTED—Quarrymen, $2.50 per day; teams, $4, at Florissant and Angelica.

QUARRYMEN WANTED—Quarrymen and laborers, East St. Louis Stone Co.'s quarries, Falling Springs, Ill. Geo. S. Earnshaw, Supt., 40 Missouri av., East St. Louis.

ROUNDER WANTED—Goodyear rounder on men's fine shoes. Desnoyers-Courtney Shoe Co., 21st and Lucas.

SALESMEN WANTED—$75 per month and traveling expenses paid salesmen on baking powder and extracts; experience unnecessary. Purity Co., Chicago.

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## SALESMEN WANTED.
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SALESMEN WANTED—You need the money, I need the men; if you are the right kind of a man I will put you in a money-making position. Call and talk it over. 1113 Pine st.

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## AGENTS WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AGENTS—Experienced men to sell new ticket; just out; agents make $10 day. Genelli, 506 Olive st.

WANTED—Insurance agent; 70 debit. Call 1544 N. 15th st., Tuesday afternoon or evening.

## PARTNERS WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

PARTNER WANTED—Partner, medicine doctor to join magnetism in institution good practice now. Prof. Moss, 2608 Olive st.

PARTNER WANTED—$350 buys traveling cashier partnership; profitable monopoly investments secured. Ad. R 62, Post-Dispatch.

## CANVASSERS AND SOLICITORS.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Ladies and gentlemen to canvass country towns; $50 per month and commission; give references. Ad. R 112, P.-D.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Experienced canvassers on newspaper work, only men with a good record and ability need apply. Call early circulation department, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITOR WANTED—Printing and blank book firm want solicitor to get business; will pay for it. Ad. P 27, Post-Dispatch.

SOLICITOR WANTED—An experienced solicitor; one who can interest persons of moderate means in a legitimate mining enterprise. H. L. Warne, Alvino, Durango, Mexico.

SOLICITORS WANTED—Solicitors, from house to house, for general house repairing; 20 per cent. 4596 Evans av.

SOLICITOR WANTED—A general fire and casualty insurance solicitor; to the right man we will make a good contract and give a guarantee. Ad. T 13, Post-Dispatch.

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TAILOR WANTED—Good allround tailor; steady work. 1717 Market st.

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TEAMS WANTED—25 good teams; $4 day, and men; St. Ferdinand and west of Taylor; in morning; month's work.

TEAMS WANTED—25 good teams and men, for street work; St. Ferdinand and Taylor; plow teams, $4.50 per day; month's work. W. J. Redmond.

TEAMS WANTED—Teams to haul macadam, $4 per day. Clayton and Taylor.

TEAMS WANTED—Teams, in morning; new City Hall, 13th st. side. H. F. Heman.

TEAMS WANTED—25 teams at World's Fair grounds, opposite the cottage, for wagon work; wagons furnished. Rosedale Contracting and Supply Co., Hodiamont and Cates avs.

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UPHOLSTERERS WANTED—Apply at 1414 N. Grand. Call Wednesday morning.

WAITER WANTED—A waiter. Thistle Restaurant, 8 N. 14th st.

WAITER WANTED—Good arm waiter in coffee house. 1711 Market st.

YOUNG MAN WANTED—Young man of experience for billing; answer, giving references, and state salary expected. Ad. P 35, Post-Dis.

YOUNG MAN WANTED—A young man to assist in packing department. 214 Washington av.

YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN WANTED—Young men and women; $50 per month. Call room 20 Tivoli Hotel, East St. Louis, Ill.

WAITER WANTED—An experienced waiter. 1710 Market st.

WAITER WANTED—White man; dinner waiter. 2005 Olive st.

WINDOW CLEANERS WANTED—Two well experienced window cleaners. Apply at Grand Hotel, 6th and Chestnut sts., 5 p. m. Sam Pirtle.

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20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by assistant bookkeeper by an experienced young lady. Ad. R 65, Post-Dispatch.

CASHIER—Sit. wanted by experienced lady cashier, typewriter and office assistant; best reference furnished. 908 Chouteau av. E. Abbey.

CHAMBERMAID—Colored girl wants place as day or night chambermaid. 807 N. 16th st.

COMPANION—Refined lady, 28, wishes position as companion to elderly or invalid lady, or to take charge of children. Ad. R 70, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—First-class cook and housekeeper wants situation; wages $16. Ad. R 74, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—Sit. wanted as cook or housekeeper in private family. 3315 Franklin, room 12.

COOK—Sit. wanted by good colored woman to cook; can give references. 620 N. Sarah st.

COOK—Sit. wanted by colored woman; first-class cook. Ad. R 61, Post-Dispatch.

COOK—First-class cook wants position with first-class people; wages $25 per month. Ad. N 64, Post-Dispatch.

DRESSMAKER—Dressmaker would like a few more engagements; summer wear, wool and silk waists and skirts. 4336 Morgan st.

DRESSMAKER—A first-class dressmaker has one week; reduced to $1.75 per day; reference. Ad. P 138, Post-Dispatch.

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FORELADY—An experienced first-class forelady would like position in shirt factory. Ad. R 89, Post-Dispatch.

GIRLS—Sits. wanted by two girls. 3858 Texas.

GIRLS—Sits. wanted by two girls, one 14, the other 16, for light work. 2730 S. 7th st., on hill.

GOVERNESS—A position by a refined Southern girl as governess or lady's companion; references exchanged. Address box 207, Wynne, Ark.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted as housegirl or cook. 2824 Olive st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Sit. wanted by young widow with boy 6 years old for bachelor or widower as housekeeper. Call at 2023 Penrose st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted as housekeeper for widower or bachelor; call any time; can give reference. 925 Chambers st.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation wanted by young widow from country as housekeeper. 2614 Laclede av., second floor.

LADY—Sit. wanted in office by a young lady; writes a good hand and understands bookkeeping. Ad. N 133, Post-Dispatch.

LADY—Position wanted by young lady to assist in dressmaking or to sew by day. Ad. P 38, Post-Dispatch.

LAUNDRESS—Colored woman wants laundry work by the day. 1317 Chestnut st. Bell-Bristol.

LAUNDRESS—Boarding house guests may find a first-class laundress at 214 N. Theresa av., between Lindell and Pine.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by laundress; washing to take home or go out. 2514 Goode av.

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20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

LAUNDRESS—Work wanted by first-class laundress, or house cleaning; references. 1507 Lucas av.

LAUNDRESS—Wanted, washing to bring home; apply in person or by mail. 2231 Clark av., 3d floor.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored woman as laundress, by day. Ella, 3910A Fairfax, upstairs.

MODEL—Sit. wanted as a model in dry goods store. 2520 S. 10th st.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by nursegirl; respectable white girl. 1437 N. 10th st.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by neat colored girl as nurse or housegirl; good wages. 3947 Finney.

NURSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by young girl to take care of children or housework, at once, in respectable family. 1207 Chouteau av.

SALESLADY—Position wanted as saleslady; can furnish best of reference. Ad. M., 1402 Tower Grove av.

SEAMSTRESS—Neat, experienced seamstress wants sewing in families or at home; references. 2640 Washington av.

SEAMSTRESS—Sit. wanted to do sewing or quilting at home. 2705 Gravois av.

SEAMSTRESS—Good seamstress wishes to go out by day or week. 3937 Finney av.

STENOGRAPHER—Educated woman desires position as stenographer; medical or literary dictation preferred. Ad. R 108, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Situation wanted by a first-class stenographer; rapid and accurate; small salary to begin with. 3401 Morgan st.

STENOGRAPHER—Country lady stenographer desires position; refs.; Oliver operator by new touch method; owns machine. P. O. Box 78, Hutsonville, Ill.

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by young lady stenographer and general office assistant; one year's experience; best of references. Ad. R 106, P.-D.

TAILORESS—Experienced ladies' tailoress desires position; special on skirts; $1.50 per day. 413 S. Jefferson av.

TYPEWRITER—Young lady desires position as typewriter; Remington or Smith machine; moderate salary to begin. Ad. R 102, Post-Dispatch.

WASHERWOMAN—German woman wants washing to take home. 4001 Cozens av.

WASHERWOMAN—Wanted, washing to take home or go out by day. L. Fullington, 916 S. 13th.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted 3 days in week. Mrs. Hall, 2411 N. Newstead av.

WOMAN—Woman wants work of any kind by day; no postals answered. 1806 Park av., second floor.

WOMAN—Position wanted by colored woman to work in boarding house or do housework. 1302 Gay st.

WOMAN—Middle-aged woman wants position; is good cook, or for general housework in small family. Ad. P 41, Post-Dispatch.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by settled colored woman where she can stay at night. G. O., 806 Market st., rear.

WOMAN—A poor woman wants to do any kind of work; has 3 children; 2 can help. Ad. R 53, Post-Dispatch.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.
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Business Announcements, 10 Cents Per Line.

BUTTONHOLE OPERATOR WANTED—On stand-ard machine. Star Waist Co., 415 N. 8th st.

CARPET SEWER WANTED—Experienced; steady work. Inquire at 311 Missouri Trust bldg., 7th and Olive sts., any afternoon.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—Reliable colored woman for chamber work; state age, experience, whether married or single; give refs.; first-class wages to steady, capable woman; none other need apply; send address to O 159, Post-Dis.

CHAMBERMAID WANTED—A chambermaid. Wellington Hotel, 715 Pine st.

CIGAR MAKERS WANTED—Two girls or women; good cigarmakers; for handwork; will pay union prices. B. Goldstone, 1707 Washington av.

CLERK—Any young woman who would like to correspond for newspapers, good pay, experience unnecessary, address Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

CLOAK MODEL WANTED—Model in cloak factory; bust 36, hip 43, length of skirt 43. 818 Lucas av.

COMPOSITOR WANTED—Lady compositor who can make ready and feed; state wages wanted. Ad. R 105, Post-Dispatch.

COOK WANTED—In private boarding house; short distance from city; good wages; no objections to woman with a child. David Carlisle, 125 Market st.

COOK WANTED—Girl for cooking and general housework; small family; no washing. Southeast corner Tower Grove and Magnolia avs., north entrance Tower Grove Park.

COOK WANTED—A cook; none but 1st-class need apply. 3500 Morgan st.

COOK WANTED—Experienced allround cook; steady man only. 306 N. 11th st.

COOK WANTED—At once, colored woman to cook; good wages. 3910 Lindell av.

COOK WANTED—A respectable cook. Call at 2811 Washington av.

COOK WANTED—An experienced white cook, with refs.; at once. 6 Vandeventer pl.

COOK WANTED—Good cook; do laundry work; wages $18; also girl for housework; small family. 5514 Clemens av.

COOK WANTED—A good German cook; no children; no laundry. 3929 Westminster.

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED—Girl for dining room and kitchen work. 2000 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Dishwasher in coffee house. 1711 Market st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Burlington Hotel, 1618 Market st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Dishwasher, at Moser Hotel, between 8th and 9th, on Pine st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—White girl to wash dishes and assist in housework; no washing or ironing. Call 6121 Easton av.

FEATHER MAKERS WANTED—Fancy feather makers; also girls to learn; pay while learning. 411 N. 3d st., third floor.

FOLDERS AND FINISHERS WANTED—Folders and finishers; also girls to operate sewing machines. Star Waist Co., 415 N. 8th st.

GIRL WANTED—Dining room girl. 2115 Market.

GIRLS WANTED—Three experienced girls to work on custom coats. Call at once 723 N. 18th.

GIRL WANTED—Girl in packing room. Dittman Shoe Co., Jefferson and University.

GIRLS WANTED—Week work; $3 to $9 per week, according to ability. Apply 300 N. Commercial.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to learn hairdressing. 5628 Olive st.

GIRL, ETC., WANTED—Pantry girl and fireman, at Granville Hotel, 914 N. Grand av.

GIRL WANTED—Pantry girl; easy work. Hotel Bement, 1402 N. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—Girl about 16 to assist with general housework; no washing or ironing; two in family; go home at night. 4508 Garfield av.

GIRL WANTED—Experienced girl for feeding ruling machine. Apply Graham Paper Co., 2d and Olive sts.

GIRLS WANTED—Cook and housegirl; sisters preferred. 5888 Clemens av.

GIRLS WANTED—Two strong, healthy girls in mattress department. Apply factory, 18th and Clark av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls of 14 and over to learn factory work. Macdonald Mfg. Co., 713 Lucas av., upstairs.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for dining room work. 2000 De Kalb st.

GIRL WANTED—Girl for cooking and housework; references. 4241 Delmar bl.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to sew barber coats and jumpers. 810 St. Charles st.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls to pick nuts; steady work, good wages. 518 N. 2d st.

GIRLS WANTED—Moser C. & P. B. Co., 208 Elm.

GIRLS WANTED—60 experienced skirt and waist makers; steady work; good pay. 819 Washington av.

GIRLS WANTED—50 girls; steady work summer and winter; good pay; apply at once. R. E. Fansten & Co., Commercial and Olive sts.

GIRLS WANTED—To sew on caps; any one capable of running a power machine is guaranteed to make the first week from $6 up; only those quick to learn need apply. Gram & Glass, 703 Lucas av.

GIRLS WANTED—Girls from 14 to 16 years old. 15 N. Main st.

GIRLS WANTED—Good, experienced girls to sew on custom coats. 105 N. 8th st.

GIRLS WANTED—Two girls to work at home evenings; good pay. Ad. P 42, Post-Dispatch.

GIRL OR WOMAN WANTED—Good girl or woman, in small restaurant, for kitchen work. 303 S. Broadway.

GIRL WANTED—An experienced dining room girl; at once. 1431 Locust st.

GIRLS WANTED—To learn artificial flower making; pay while learning. Rosenthal-Sloan Millinery Co., 1015-19 Washington av.

## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.
20 Words or Less, 5 Cents.

LAUNDRESS—To cook and assist housework; no washing or ironing. 3133 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; small family. 3468 Sidney st., one block east of Grand av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—White woman for general work in family. Apply 4727 Kennerly.

HOME WORK—$10 to $15 weekly; some to copy letters; $5 weekly made working evenings; inclose stamp for instructions. Xray Wholesale Co., Toledo, O.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—$12 month; 5-room cottage at Webster Groves; three in family; good home for steady girl. Apply office, 2340 Olive.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework at once; must be neat and experienced; no cooking or washing. 5071 Maple.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework and nursing. 5054 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl for family of two. 3418 Vista av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing or ironing. 3235 Maple av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent white girl for general housework; must be good cook and good laundress; 3 in family; wages $15. 3062 Mamitt.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good girl for general housework; good home. 3528 Ohio av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework. 909 O'Fallon st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Middle-aged white lady for general housework. Call at once 2239 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; good wages. 4951 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of two. 4204 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5066 Caban

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OOK AV., 4284—Furnished room for man and wife or two young men; private family; quiet neighborhood; convenient to cars; reasonable.

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DELMAR BL., 4812A—3 handsomely furnished rooms; all complete for housekeeping; bath, fur- nace heat; all conveniences.

EASTON AV., 4342—Newly furnished room; gas and bath; reasonable.

EASTON AV., 3108—Two nicely furnished con- necting rooms for light housekeeping.

EVANS AV., 3619—One or two rooms; furnished or unfurnished; light housekeeping; first floor.

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FINNEY AV., 4236—Nicely furnished room; all conveniences; for two ladies employed.

FRANKLIN AV., 417—Five nice unfurnished rooms and furnished rooms for rent.

FRANKLIN AV., 3030—Trained nurse with room suitable for trained nurse; business women; refs.

FRANKLIN AV., 3428—Near Grand, elegant front and other rooms; responsible people only.

FRANKLIN AV., 3502—Lovely suite of rooms com- plete for housekeeping; gas range, gas, bath; private family.

FRANKLIN AV., 3018—Two clean, nicely furnish- ed rooms.

FRANKLIN AV., 1816—Nicely furnished front room.

GAMBLE ST., 2036—Small, nicely furnished room; private family; $1 week; all conv.

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LACLEDE AV., 3414—Furnished rooms for rent; call before or after 6.

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LEFFINGWELL AV., 214 S.—Two unfurnished front rooms; terms reasonable.

LEFFINGWELL AV., 206A S.—Two nice, attract- ive rooms; call at once.

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LAWTON AV., 3142—Second-floor front large fur- nished housekeeping room; $2.50 week; all con.

LAWTON AV., 3015—Front and small connecting rooms; complete for light housekeeping; $2.50 per week.

LAWTON AV., 2712—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; front parlor; all conv.

LAWTON AV., 3134 (next to Pine)—Connecting parlors; first floor; nicely furnished; housekeep- ing; $4.50 week; other rooms.

LAWTON AV., 8421—Furnished or unfurnished, 5 rooms, 2d floor; all conveniences.

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LOCUST ST., 2814—For gentleman, elegantly fur- nished room, second story; $3 a week; going away soon.

LOCUST ST., 2813½—Newly furnished rooms for gents or ladies employed or man and wife.

LOCUST ST., 2726—Large second story front al- cove room furnished for housekeeping; gas.

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LUCAS AV., 2921—Two neatly furnished rooms for housekeeping; so, ex.; gas, bath.

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MORGAN ST., 3305—Unfurnished rooms; two at $6; with one furnished room; near cars.

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MORGAN ST., 3409—Elegant parlor, single or en suite; also other rooms; ref. required.

MORGAN ST., 614—Neatly furnished front room, for two gents.

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NINTH ST., 815 N.—Nicely furnished front and back rooms; gents or light housekeeping; $1 week and up.

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OLIVE ST., 2637—Nicely furnished front parlor; $2.50 per week.

OLIVE ST., 2124—Basement, 2 good rooms, will take work for rent; small family.

OLIVE ST., 1814—Elegantly furnished front par- lor, second story front room; also housekeeping room.

OLIVE ST., 4040A—Elegant rooms, suitable for two gentlemen or young married couple.

OLIVE ST., 4217A—Nicely furnished front room, for two gentlemen; first-class service; all conv.

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OLIVE ST., 3212—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; other rooms; all conv.; reas.

OLIVE ST., 2827—Furnished rooms; 1st and 2d floor front; all conv.; reas. terms.

PAPIN ST., 1430—Neatly furnished connecting front rooms, complete for housekeeping.

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PINE ST., 2820—Furnished rooms for light house- keeping; other rooms; filtered water; all conv.

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ROOMS—In West End, convenient to Olive and Delmar cars, 2 nice rooms for light housekeeping; $12. Ad. R 186, Post-Dispatch.

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WASHINGTON AV., 1035—Rooms for light house- keeping, $1.75 and $2; no objection to children.

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## FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.
14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

FURNISHED HOUSE—In the West End to respon- sible party without children, from Oct. 1 to May 1, 1903; must have best of references. Ad. R 101, Post-Dispatch.

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14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

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COOK AV., 3402—Large front room, with board; $3 weekly.

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LUCAS AV., 3213—Neatly furnished rooms; with excellent board; $35 for two.

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MORGAN ST., 3500—Elegantly furnished rooms, with board; modern conv. Call.

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PINE ST., 2814—Front and two hall rooms; with board; meals served family style; milliners ac- commodated.

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## HOUSES, ROOMS, FLATS—WANTED.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ROOMS WANTED—Two neatly furnished rooms; light housekeeping; bath; neighborhood Du- diamont or Wellston. Ad. R 110, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—An unfurnished room, by young lady; not over $1 per week. Ad. O 73, P.-D.

ROOMS WANTED—By lady, 1 large and 1 small unfurnished room; state terms. Ad. O 104, P.-D.

ROOM WANTED—Large room, kitchen attached, for light housekeeping. Ad. 2838 Morgan st.

ROOMS WANTED—Refined widow and adult son, employed, desire two or three furnished or un- furnished rooms or a flat for housekeeping; southwestern part of city. Ad. Mrs. Sheery, 3628 Hartford st.

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ROOM WANTED—Room without board by lady employed; walking distance from downtown; pri- vate family preferred; state terms. Ad. R 93, Post-Dispatch.

## ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.
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ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Front room with board in private family for man and wife; West End. Ad. W. G., 4112 Morgan st.

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14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

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HOUSE—New 7-room house, half block east of Suburban car, on Tuxedo bl.; rent, $18. Ad. 5920 Natural Bridge rd.

## FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.
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FURNISHED FLAT WANTED—A furnished flat of six or seven rooms, in West End, for the winter. Ad. P 39, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE WANTED—Fur. 6-room flat or house, West End preferred; no children; must be rea sonable. Ad. R 59, Post-Dispatch.

## FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.
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FLAT—Six-room flat, completely furnished for housekeeping; strictly modern; West End; piano, furnace, etc.; to responsible couple with- out children; for winter; $35; ref. given and required. Ad. R 114, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT—Four-room flat, completely furnished for housekeeping; West End; strictly modern; to couple without children; $20; ref. required. Ad. R 115, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—Three rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; West End; in home of wi'ow; no other roomers; to couple with nt children; ref. required. Ad. R 116, Post-Dispatch.

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14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

BOARDING—Large farm, adjoining Festus, 30 miles south of city; 12-room house, screened throughout; beautifully situated; shade trees, hammocks, buros, croquet, etc.; fresh eggs, milk and fruit in abundance; special rates to par- ties from Saturday until Monday; house open all the year. Ad. Dav d Carlisle, Jr., Festus, Mo.

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14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

PAGE AV., 5138—Nine-room, reception hall, fur- nace, gas fixtures, bath, barn; terms reas.

VINEGROVE AV., 3134—House; inquire within; $13 month.

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BOYLE AV., 7 N.—5-room flat with bathroom; $22.50. C. W. Barnes, 216 Wainwright bldg.

HICKORY ST., 1810—Newly made flat of 6 love- ly rooms; bath, gas; every conv.

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LACLEDE AV., 3800—Large, light 6-room flat; all conveniences. C. W. Barnes, 216 Wainwright building.

LUCKY ST., 3844A—Three rooms, second floor, $8; key at 3844. Keeler, 1113 Chestnut.

MERAMEC ST., 2724—5-room corner flat; gas fix- tures, shades, screens; rent $18.

OLIVE ST., 3711—Six rooms, bath, two porches; steam heat; hot water; janitor; $35.

SHAW AV., 3848—5 rooms, furnace, gas fixtures, screens, gas grates; newly decorated; $26.

THEODOSIA AV., 5908A—5 rooms; screens, fix- tures, bath, shades; three cars.

WEST BELLE PL., 4457—One downstirs flat, 5 rooms; every modern conv.; decorated. Vroo- man & Co., 8½ N. 8th st.

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14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

DESK ROOM—With all conveniences, at 821 Chestnut st., office 210; $5.

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ROOMS—Two elegantly furnished rooms, with modern conveniences for doctor, dentist or law- yer; good location. Ad. R 58, Post-Dispatch.

SHOP—Two-story brick, rear of 412 N. 11th, for shop, with use of phone; $15 per month.

STORE—Euclid av. and Suburban tracks; small store for barber; could furn'sh fixtures; good stand. C. W. Barnes, 216 Wainwright bldg.

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BAKERS—Get prices on oven from the Midlsby Oven Mfg. Co., 60 W. Van Buren st., Chicago. Can be seen in operation at 510 N. Sarah st.

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BAKERY—For sale, elegant little branch bakery and confectionery; will assure $150 a month profit; rent only $15; living rooms; $150 down, balance as you make it; best or reasons for sell- ing.
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ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, nicely furnished 10- room house; central West End; no agents; cheap if sold at once. Ad. O 68, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house; in- come $1 a day; big bargain; $200 down; sickness. 2117 Pine st.

ROOMING HOUSE—12 rooms; fine location; price $500; full gentleman roomers. WARDLOW & CO., 606 Chestnut st.

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SALOON—For sale, saloon, grocery, meat mar- ket, with lease; West End; other business. Ad. P 110, Post-Dispatch.

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### Wanted.

HORSES WANTED—Two good delivery horses. 419 Franklin av.

RIG WANTED—A single seat, four-wheel rig, suitable for pair of 35-inch ponies; must be in good condition. Ad. P 187, Post-Dispatch.

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CANADIAN and foreign money; also unused U. S. postage and revenue stamps wanted for cash. St. Louis Stamp & Coin Co., 1003 Pine st.

WANTED—Men's old clothing; pay twice as much as anyone else; send postal. Gilbert, 1321 Carr.

YACHT WANTED—We want to buy a good sec- ond-hand gasoline yacht, with part cabin on about 35 or 40 feet keel, with good speed and in good order, if reasonable enough. Ad. M. Fell & Co., Beale st. market house, Memphis, Tenn.

NICKEL PLATING

Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating; repair- ing, oxidizing and lacquering at reasonable rates. DEGEE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st.

## MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

COAL—Dorr's high-grade, 9c bu, delivered. Ed- ward Dorr, 2013 Market. Phone Kin. C 32.

DEER HEAD—For sale, deer head, steer horns and other nicely mounted specimens; I also mount birds and animals. L. F. Morlock, 1243 S. Broadway.

BUY your paints, glass, etc., from Niemau Bros.; oil, 50c; turpentin- 45c; prices and goods will make you a customer. 1911 Park av.; Sid- ney 428 M; D 1294.

CITY DIRECTORY and splendid typewriter; both bargains. Lock box 1052, city.

COAL—Dorr's high-grade, 9c bu, delivered. Ed- ward Dorr, 2013 Market st. Phone Kin. C 32.

ELEGANT Brunswick pool and billiard tables; sell, rent; reasonable. J. L. Fowler, 1321 Market.

ICE BOXES, ETC.—For sale, second-hand ice boxes, scales and trucks; all repaired and war- ranted. 404 N. 3d st.

MATURED BUILDING CONTRACTS—For sale; large cash accumulation available for immedi- ate use. Ad. O 199, Post-Dispatch.

NEW and second-hand billiard and pool tables; cloth and balls. A. E. Schmidt, 326 Market st.

MECHANICS, have your drawing boards and squares, triangles, straight edges and tool chests made by Kriner & Dobszynski, 4239A St. Ferdi- nand av.; drop postal and we will call.

STOVE repairs for any old stove. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st.; Kinloch C 97.

FIXTURES CHEAP.

Roller-top desks, bookkeepers' desks, counters, shelving, showcases, door cases, revolving stools, grocers' bins, iceboxes, butcher blocks, etc.
AMERICAN FIXTURE WORKS, Kinloch D 1504. 1015 N. Broadway.

## STORE, BARBER, BAR FIXTURES.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

GROCERY BINS, ETC.—For sale, grocery bins, drawers, shelving and counters; no dealers. 1408 N. Jefferson av.

FIXTURES—Going out of business; store fixtures for sale at bargain. 2101 East Grand av.

SART RE STORE AND FIXTURE CO. largest stock; telephone B 1322. 1125-1127-1129 N. Broadway.

## PERSONAL.
14 Words or Less, 30 Cents.
All advertisements under personal are accepted subject to revision or rejection and return of amount paid.

PERSONAL—Information wanted of Isabella Wat- ers or Lesa Zallee, formerly with Mrs. R. D. Zallee of St. Louis, Mo.; please ad. Mrs. W. J. Hosbein, St. Joseph, Mich.

PERSONAL—When and where can I telephone or meet you? Ad. P 44, Post-Dispatch. Emerald.

PERSONAL—Thursday evening, Aug. 21, 1902, I lost chamois bag containing my wife's jewelry, which is valued more on account of association than intrinsic worth; if finder will please return same to my office at room 813 Century bldg. I will pay ample and generous reward. Ira Welch.

PERSONAL—Llunie: I forgive you; come home. J. A. H.

PERSONAL—Hattie R.: Come home; all is for- given. Mamma and Papa.

PERSONAL—Ladies troubled with pimples or fa- cial blemishes call on Mme. Grahame, agent, 2732 Olive st.

## ADOPTION.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ADOPTION—Fine girl baby, 4 weeks old, for adop- tion. 3043 Easton av.

## PERSONAL SUNDRIES.
14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AAA1—Absolutely the cheapest place in town for printing. McGill & Co., 121 N. 11th st.

ABSOLUTE DIVORCES promptly secured by reliable attorney of long experience. Law office, 1602 Olive st., 2d fl.

AS LATEST style in complexion is a satin skin, you must be up-to-date and use exquisite Satin- Skin Cream and Satin-Skin Powder? 25c. Barr's.

ABSOLUTE seclusion before and during confine- ment. Mrs. Dr. Smith, Physician and Surgeon, 5043 Easton av.

A GOOD midwife always uses Gray's Bismuth tal- cum powder; safest for babies; druggists sell it.

BAD BLOOD diseases, pimples, sores, discharges, etc., cured without fee; either sex. 107A N. 9th.

CONFINEMENTS—Free homes for infants if de- sired; Mrs. Dr. Murphy's, 2122-2125 Olive st.; ladies, go where you will be treated well and get your case guaranteed; best of medical care and nursing; irregularities treated at little cost; ladies, try my regulator; consultation and trial treatment free; patients met at station in my vehicle; all mail promptly answered., Kinloch phone C 831; Bell, Main 1211 M.

DR. ARTHUR'S GOLDEN SEAL Female Regulator. Patent applied for, relieves in three hours; beware of substitutes; none genuine without signature of Golden Seal Med. Co., 2631 Washington; price, $1.

DOCTOR DENNIS 2639 Washington av., reg- ular licensed physician; conducts the only respectable sanitarium for con- finements in this city; perfect seclusion and home comforts; trained nurses; lowest terms; infants adopted; irregularities positively removed at little cost; guaranteed results; ladies, I have 20 years' experience and have made your ills a life study; when in need of a friend come or write to me.

DR. MERWIN, 2233 Olive st., treats all ladies' troubles.

DR. ELLA ALLEN, reliable, skillful and painless treatment for female trouble; no operations, pain or danger; 26 years' successful experience; perfect seclusion during confinement; only pri- vate, reliable, secluded, incorporated home; best accommodations; trained nurses; infants adopted if desired; lowest terms. 2018 Olive st.

DR. MARY MURPHY receives confinements; homes found for infants free; treats ladies for $1; board reasonable; $2 per week; written guar- antee. 2125 Olive st.

DR. ANNIE BUSHNELL, 2829 Olive st.; private, secluded, licensed home for ladies before and during confinement; oldest and most reliable lying-in institution in the city; established over 40 years; home comforts and motherly care; homes found for infants free; successfully treats all irregularities; ladies in trouble call or write.

DR. MARY ARTHUR

Specialist, 2631 Washington av., treats female complaints; ladies will not regret to call or write; treats confinement cases.

LADIES! $1000 reward. I positively guarantee my never-failing ERGO-KOLO Compound to safely relieve the longest, most obstinate case of delayed monthly periods in three to five days without harm, pain or interference with work. Mail $2.50. Double strength, $5.00. Write Dr. Southington Remedy Co., Dept. F, Kansas City, Mo.

LADIES—If in trouble save time and money by calling at 2929 Franklin av.

LADIES—It costs nothing to investigate; call 221 S. Jefferson av. and learn how to keep out of trouble; positive guarantee.

LADIES in trouble try our sure remedy; trial free. Paris Chemical Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

LADIES in trouble, save time and money. Call on T. C. Bachman, midwife, 1719 S. Jefferson av.; phone 1377 D.

LADIES in trouble will not regret call'ng on Mrs. Holland; lowest terms. 2326 Pine st.

LADIES—My regulator never fails; one complete treatment free. Mrs. E. Starr, 2929 Franklin.

LADIES in trouble call at private home before and during confinement. Mrs. Dr. Meyers, 112 S. 14th st.

MIDWIFE receives during confinement; homes found for infants; ladies in trouble call. 2848 Lafayette av.

MRS. L. HOTSON Leading female specialist, 2200 and 2203 Olive st., the only reliable lying-in institution in the city; if dissatisfied elsewhere come out to my place and compare it with other places; perfect seclusion during confinement; skilled medical attention; ab- solute protection and safety assured; motherly care; steel-constructed; infants adopted; irregulari- ties; success guaranteed or no charge; charges rea- sonable in all cases; consultation and information free; don't be deceived by alluring advertisements of incompetent and unscrupulous persons; go to the oldest, largest and most reliable institution in the city, where you will be treated well, where satis- faction is guaranteed or money refunded; ladies in trouble call or write; patients met at station.

MRS. DR. HOGAN receives before and during con- finement; infants adopted if desired; ladies in trouble call or write; terms reasonable; consulta- tion free. 2215 Olive st., St. Louis.

MRS. BRIDGES—Ladies in trouble won't regret calling; no medicine. 100 N. Ewing. C1664.

MRS. DR. MURPHY'S regulator, $1; Golden Seal, 75c; treats ladies, $1; no cure no pay. 2125 Olive.

1000

# THROATS SEVERED

BY JEALOUS HUSBAND.

# HOME WRECKED

## Leo Hagnauer Tried to Kill Wife and Self.

ATTACK WAS NEAR POSTOFFICE.

BOTH ARE EXPECTED TO DIE FROM WOUNDS.

Separation Two Weeks Ago Followed by Threats of Murder, Which Husband Attempted to Carry Out With Razor.

Following a threat which he had openly made for two days, Leo Hagnauer slashed his wife's neck five times with a razor near the postoffice in Venice Monday night.

He followed up the assault by making four gashes in his own throat, one of which came within a hair's breadth of the jugular vein.

Hagnauer and his wife are both in a dangerous condition from their wounds. She is at Liefferig's boarding house on Main street, in Venice, and he is at the office of Dr. Scott, on the Edwardsville road.

The refusal of Mrs. Theresa Hagnauer, the wife, to live with her husband caused his attempt to kill her and himself.

Two weeks ago the couple, who have been married five years and have two children, separated because of quarrels occasioned by the husband's jealousy.

The two children were sent to the home of their grandfather, Robert Hagnauer, former clerk of Madison County.

Mrs. Hagnauer went to Liefferig's boarding house in Venice to work. She told her friends that she would perform any drudgery rather than return to her husband.

Last week the husband worked at the ice plant in Madison. Sunday afternoon he attended a picnic and met his wife there.

He entreated her to return to him, but she replied that she was better off where she was, and that she had no intention of repeating her attempt to get along with him.

"If you don't come back to me I'll kill you and myself," the man declared. His wife laughed at him and repeated the jest, as she considered it, to her friends.

Sunday he visited his home and asked for a razor with which to shave. His mother gave him a razor, and after using it he remarked: "I'll use this to cut my wife's throat and my own if she doesn't come back to me."

"Don't talk that way, Leo," said the mother, and thought no more of his words.

Monday night Hagnauer waited near the Venice postoffice for his wife to come for the mail. Shortly before 8 o'clock she appeared.

Calling her to one side, he threw his arm around her neck, and, as she struggled in his grasp, he drew the blade five times across the fleshy part of her neck.

Withdrawing the blade after his last stroke, which had cut to the bone, the husband let his wife fall on the ground and commenced slashing his own throat. When he had made four deep cuts, and the blood was spurting over his hands, he lay down beside her, expecting death in a few minutes.

A crowd had been attracted by the woman's cries and she was carried to the boarding house, while the husband was taken to Dr. Scott's office.

Tuesday morning both were living, but were very low.

Hagnauer comes of a well-known family and has borne a good reputation. His home life until lately was considered happy.

## CITY NEWS.

New Fall Millinery, Suits, Cloaks and Dress Goods are daily being put on sale at CRAWFORD'S. See these lines before making your selections.

# CHILD WAS CUPID'S AGENT

## C. A. Lewis of Honolulu Weds Miss Lillian Gore, Who Had Cared for His Boy.

C. A. Lewis of Honolulu, Hawaii Islands, and Miss Lillian Belle Gore of Kansas City were married Monday morning in East St. Louis.

Mr. Lewis told Deputy County Clerk Caughlan that he was a traveling salesman for a Honolulu mercantile house, with American territory. He said he was a widower, with one child, a boy, his wife having died when the boy was an infant.

The child had been raised by Miss Gore at her home in Kansas City, she having been a friend of his first wife.

The child was the means of drawing them together and causing them to fall in love with one another. Mr. Gore was on the road most of the time and saw his child very little. Letters passed between himself and Miss Gore frequently concerning the child.

When the boy was old enough to write letters to his papa, these were filled with references to Miss Gore, who he had learned to call mamma.

Loving the child, it was not difficult for her to learn to love the father. Mr. Lewis was to be in Chicago and he wrote to Miss Gore to meet him in St. Louis. They met here Monday morning and went to East St. Louis and, after they had obtained a license, were married by Rev. J. J. Reader.

GRIFFIN'S EXCURSION TO New Haven, Berger and Hermann, Mo., $1.50,

Sunday ,Aug. 31, 1902, via Missouri Pacific Railway. Train leaves Union Station 9 a. m.

## TO SAVE JOHN BROWN'S HOME.

### It Is Offered Rent Free to Responsible Care Taker.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Aug. 26.—In order to save the birthplace of John Brown from destruction by vandals, it has been offered, rent free, to a responsible caretaker.

Several applications have come from veterans, who write that they were with Capt. Brown in his raid.

### Cures the Drink Habit.

The Immune Treatment removes all desire for drink; and, in fact, makes alcholic stimulants of all kinds offensive. The leading business men and ministers of St. Louis have indorsed this method, and their letters will be submitted to any one interested. Offices of the PAQUIN IMMUNE CO. are 417, 418, 419, 420 and 421 Fullerton building, St. Louis.

Note—When writing, mention Post-Dispatch.

### Postoffice Money Order Business.

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—A comparative statement for the fiscal year ended June 30 last shows that the New York postoffice and its station paid out on domestic money orders $29,829,801, an increase of 25 per cent over last year. The office paid to offices throughout the country during the year $11,324.

### BUSINESS NOTICE.

...in never chafes when harmless Satin-...is applied. It looks so good baby ...t. Only 25c. Sold daily at Barr's.


LACES. 15c for 59c Qualities. 800 yards of Appliques—creams and Arabians—exquisite designs—29c to 59c values—choice of any Wednesday, at, yard..... 15c

Famous BROADWAY & MORGAN.

BOYS' SCHOOL HOSE, Sizes 6 to 10—bicycle rib—fast black—double heel and toe—regular 20c values—Wednesday on our second floor.. 9c

# Profitable News for Wednesday Shoppers

Ladies' 25c Belts. Wide gros-grain black belts with fancy gilt, silver and black buckles—worth up to 25c—Wednesday..... 3c

Men's Suspenders. The genuine "President make"—comfortable and durable—always 50c—Wednesday... 35c

Men's Leather Belts. Tan colored — two rings — nickel buckle—worth 15c—Wednesday..... 5c

Hot Water Bottles. Flannel covered — good quality rubber—3-qt. sizes — worth 75c, Wednesday only..... 37c

Fountain Syringes. 2 and 3-quart sizes 59c values—Wednesday..... 24c

THIS IS POSITIVELY THE LAST CALL ON WASH SUITS, SKIRTS, PETTICOATS, Etc.

$6.95 HANDSOME LAWN DRESSES 1.50

Just 100 in the lot—2 or 3 of any one design—some Persian Lawns, beautifully trimmed with large medallions, laces and insertions—all colors—also plain white—remember they're worth up to $6.95—Wednesday for a grand wind up, you may select any at the sensational low price of.....

$3.00 WASH SKIRTS—Odds and ends of the season's best and most popular styles—in denims, crashes, P Ks and ducks—excellent values—Wednesday..... 59c

$3.00 SHIRT-WAIST SUITS—Handsome ginghams, dimities and piques—some trimmed with insertions and straps of same material—skirts with wide graduated flounce—40 striking styles—all colors—grand up to $3 values—Wednesday..... 59c

$1.00 WASH PETTICOATS—Made of good quality Gingham and Percales—fancy stripes and solid colors—neatly trimmed with bands of white braid and 3 ruffles—cut very wide—$1.00 values—Wednesday..... 39c

$2.00 WASH WAISTS—Fresh, clean waists of India Lawn, Pique and Chambrays—fetching styles in all colors and white—up to $2 values earlier in season—Wednesday, to close out, choice at.... 49c

DOMESTICS Wonderfully Underpriced.

3000 YDS. BLEACHED SHEETING, 9-4 width—worth 22c—Wednesday..... 15c

3000 YARDS UNBLEACHED Sheeting, 9-4 width—worth 20c—Wednesday..... 14c

5000 YARDS UNBLEACHED Muslin, yard wide—worth 7½c—Wednesday..... 4½c

8000 YARDS BLEACHED MUSLIN, yard wide—worth 8c—Wednesday..... 5c

500 BLEACHED SHEETS—2½ x2½ yards size—Pepperell—worth 65c—Wednesday.. 55c

20 PIECES TURKEY RED Damask, 60 in.—fast colors—worth 50c—Wednesday..... 29c

30 PIECES ALL-LINEN unbleached 17-in. Crash Toweling—worth 10c—Wednesday..... 6½c

100 DOZEN HEMMED HUCK Towels, 20x40 size—worth 12½c—Wednesday..... 8c

200 DOZEN HEMMED COTTON Towels, barber size—worth 5c—Wednesday..... 3½c

90 DOZEN HEMMED HUCK Towels, 17x34 size—worth 10c—Wednesday..... 7c

Dress Goods. Black Etamine Suitings—50 inches wide, strictly all-wool and a decidedly popular and good wearing fabric—it's the 75c quality we offer you Wednesday at, yard..... 45c

All Wool Venetian Cloth—36 inches wide—in all the new fall shades—65c yard is what it's actually worth—special Wednesday only, at, yard..... 39c

IN THE Men's Clothing Dept.

BLUE OVERALLS—With or without aprons, worth 60c pair—Wednesday..... 39c

BROWN DUCK OVERALLS—All felled seams—worth 50c—Wednesday..... 35c

BLUE CHECKED JUMPERS—Sizes 34 to 44—worth 25c—Wednesday..... 17c

MEN'S PANTS—Strongly made—good patterns—sizes 30 to 38 waist measure—worth $1.25 and $1.50—Wednesday.. 75c

MEN'S BLUE CAMLET PANTS—Guaranteed fast color—worth 65c—Wednesday..... 40c

Scarfs and Squares. 20x72 inch size—braided Dresser Scarfs and Table Squares of splendid quality Irish linen — 39c values—Wednesday, only..... 15c

Gold Fish. Good size, 10c kind—Wednesday..... 5c

Mason Fruit Jars. 1-quart size—5c values—Wednesday..... 3½c

Bread Knives. Of good steel — 10c values—Wednesday..... 5c

Ladies' Handkerchiefs. Pure linen lawn — hand embroidered—lace edge — some with colored border, embroidered edge and plain — worth 10c—choice of 100 dozen Wednesday at..... 4c

SCHOOL HOSE.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE—Narrow rib, fast black—full seamless, double knee, heel and toe—all sizes—worth 15c—Wednesday. 10c

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HOSE—Wide or narrow rib—fast black — full seamless—double knee, heel and toe—the 19c kind—Wednesday..... 12½c

CHILDREN'S HEAVY SCHOOL HOSE—Wide or narrow rib—double knee, sole, heel and toe—seamless and fast black—always 25c—Wednesday..... 19c

Soaps. 12c Cake for 3c. A limited lot of perfumed Soaps, such as La France, Rose, Glycerine, Castile, Violette de Alpes, Savon de Paris, Turkish Bath and Buttermilk soap—wrappers slightly torn—worth up to 12c per cake—Wednesday..... 3c

The Final Sweep in Summer Wash Goods.

FOUR PRICES NOW FOR THE PICK OF THE HOUSE.

4c yard for Wash Goods worth 10c to 20c
5c yard for Wash Goods worth 12½c to 25c
7½c yard for Wash Goods worth 15c to 35c
15c yard for Wash Goods worth 35c to $1.00

Every yard must go—we need the room they occupy—come and partake of the greatest Bargain Feast of your life—

LINES OF DIMITIES, Batistes and Novelty Weave Lawns—whole pieces, half pieces and remnants of 10c, 12½c, 15c and 20c goods—pick of the lot now at—yard..... 4c

LINES OF ELEGANT Wash Fabrics, including white, tinted and dark grounds—in latest weaves and patterns—worth up to 25c yard—all go now at—yard..... 5c

THE POPULAR FABRICS of the season—including many novelties—in all colors—worth to 35c yard—to go now at—yard..... 7½c

FINE WASH GOODS—In Swiss, silk-mixed fabrics and other high-class novelties—worth 35c to $1.00 yard—now to go at the great sacrifice price of—yard..... 15c

School Shoes.

MISSES' SCHOOL SHOES—vici kid with patent leather tip and extension soles—new styles—solid, serviceable shoes—low heels—sizes 11½ to 2—$1.50 values—Wednesday..... 1.15

Children's sizes 8½ to 11—$1.25 value—Wednesday..... 1.00

BOYS' SCHOOL SHOES—Of splendid quality satin calf—stylish and wear resisting—$1.25 values—Wednesday..... 87c

OUTING SHOES—Plaid and gray canvas—leather soles—Oxford and lace styles—all sizes for men and boys—65c and 75c values—Wednesday..... 30c

Men's 75c Shirts. Soft bosoms—made of good percales—separate cuffs to match—bright, new, snappy patterns—all sizes—50c and 75c values—Wednesday at Famous choice for..... 35c


## FEET BURNED, HOME SAVED

### C. McKinley Put Out Early Morning Blaze Which Lightning May Have Caused.

Mr. C. McKinley of 3317 Washington avenue was burned on the feet and ankles while extinguishing a blaze which originated in his home early Tuesday morning.

The fire started during the height of the storm, in a corner of the library, where some waste rags and linseed oil, used in cleaning the room, were stored. A broken window glass in the same part of the room might indicate that lightning was responsible for the fire.

Mr. McKinley, who was sleeping on the second floor, was alarmed by a servant girl and ran downstairs. He carried several buckets of water into the blazing room and put out the fire before the firemen arrived. Afterward he discovered that he had suffered blistered feet.


# WORTH A THOUGHT.

## This Statement Will Interest Scores of St. Louis Readers.

The facts given below are worth a perusal by all who are anxious about their physical condition or are similarly situated to this resident of St. Louis. It is a local occurrence and can be thoroughly investigated:

William Tracy, teamster, 5741 Cote Brilliante av., says: "As a rule for two years I had pain in the back, but if I performed an extra hard day's work or was engaged in my calling during wet and stormy weather the aching was greatly aggravated. On such occasions trouble with the kidney secretions was sure to ensue. Looking over my paper one night I noticed Doan's Kidney Pills recommended by several prominent people in St. Louis. Some of the cases were similar to mine and they had been cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. This induced me to go to the Wolff-Wilson Drug Co. for a box. A dose helped, a continuation of the treatment brought greater results, and when I had finished it not only had the pain disappeared, but the too frequent action of the kidney secretions ceased."

For sale by all dealers for 50c per box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.


## GIRL GOT REBATE FROM HIGHWAYMAN

### ROBBER REFUNDED CAR FARE AFTER ROBBING HER ESCORT.

### BOLD CRIME AT CREVE COEUR.

Watch and Money Taken From Edward Gilmore, Who Had Miss Rose Blethroade With Him.

"Won't you give us car fare?" said a pretty girl at Creve Coeur Lake, after her escort had been relieved of his money and watch by a robber.

"Certainly, miss," was the man's answer, and he handed her a dollar from the pocketbook which he had just filched from its owner.

Miss Rose Blethroade of 1410 Prairie avenue was the young woman who succeeded in getting the rebate from the courteous highwayman, who, however, assured her and her companion that if they moved for 10 minutes after he left them they would be shot.

With Edward Gilmore of 2829 Madison street Miss Blethroade had been on the lake from 8 o'clock until dusk. At 7 o'clock they started to take the street car.

When they were near the street railway platform a man stepped out from the shadow of a large tree and pointed a revolver, making at the same time a request for money.

"You have the advantage of me," said Gilmore, and he stood very still while the man extracted money and gold watch and chain from his pockets.

Then came the request for car fare, the robber's gracious assent, and his hasty departure.

A party of men stayed with Gilmore until the last car left, hoping that the man would board the car, but no more was seen of him. The man had a black goatee and wore a slouch hat and dark clothing.

## MUST REMAIN ALL BRITISH.

### Condition Upon Which Cunard Line Gets Larger Subsidy.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 26.—It is now understood at Liverpool that the arrangement by which the Cunard line is to receive a handsome augmentation of the government subsidy hitherto paid for carrying the mails, is practically complete and that it is a condition that the line shall remain all British.

THE MAYOR OF SPOTLESS TOWN

This is the Mayor of Spotless Town,
The brightest man for miles around.
The shining light of wisdom can
Reflect from such a polished man,
And so he says to high and low:
"The brightest use SAPOLIO."

Good housewives of St. Louis jokingly liken themselves to the Spotless Town women. There is no joke about the spotless condition resulting from the use of SAPOLIO.

REFUSE ALL SUBSTITUTES.

Rain Coats!

Made by skilled tailors from finest IMPORTED and DOMESTIC cloths of exclusive designs.

Automobile Mackintoshes!

Garments guaranteed waterproof. Newest patterns. Have vertical pockets; cuffs on sleeves; latest cut throughout. SOLD AT POPULAR PRICES.

Oil and Rubber Coats!

Absolutely waterproof and durable. Prices ranging from $1.00 to $6.00.

Day Rubber Co.

415 N. Fourth Street.

$6.00 CINCINNATI AND RETURN VIA B.&O.S-W.

Saturday, Aug. 30th.

Trains Leave 9:08 P. M.

Tickets good returning to and including night train leaving Cincinnati Monday, Sept. 1st.

TICKET OFFICES: Olive and Sixth and Union Station.

HOTELS AND SUMMER RESORTS.

When You Come to Chicago Stop at the SHERMAN HOUSE.

Corner Randolph and Clark Streets.

Rooms $1.00 upwards. Refurnished and redecorated. Fireproof. Large, airy and comfortable rooms. Centrally located, near all depots, street cars, L roads and theaters.

Popular price Restaurants.

Sherman House Hotel Company, Chicago, Ill

NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE ONTARIO.

The Queen's Royal Hotel

This Fashionable Summer Resort is situated in a private park at the mouth of the Niagara River, on the shores of Lake Ontario, 10 miles from Niagara Falls and 25 miles from Buffalo. Boating, Bathing and Fishing to the heart's content. Golf Links and Tennis. Illustrated circular on application.

BOOMER & SQUIRE, Managers,

Queen's Royal Hotel, Niagara-on-the-Lake, Ont.

TERRIFIC SLASHING Of Prices--Reserve Stocks FORMERLY THE CENTURY THE Boston

For Tomorrow---See the Slaughter.

9 TO 10 A. M. ONE HOUR ONLY. Century's 7¼c Shaker Flannel..... 2½c

ALL-DAY SNAPS.

Century's 10c Outing Flannel..... 5c
Century's 20c French Waist Flannel, yard wide..... 10c
Century's 10c yard-wide Percales..... 5c
Century's 7½c Indigo Blue Calico..... 4c
Century's 60c Bed Sheets—full size.. 39c
Century's 50c Feather Bed Pillows..... 19c
Century's 75c Double Fleeced Blankets..... 39c
Century's $2.00 Homemade Bed Comforts, 72x80..... $1.25
Century's 10c Borated Talcum Powder..... 3c
Century's 10c Turkish Bath Towels..... 5c
Century's $18 Brussels Room Rugs, 9x12 feet..... $8.50
Century's 25c bar Imported Castile Soap..... 8c

65c and 75c Window Shades, 19c. 240 best Oswego Oil Window Shades, all complete and ready to hang. Century's price 65c and 75c each; until sold..... 19c

Boys' $2 Blue Sailor Suits, 69c.

Men's 75c Blue Denim Overalls..... 29c
Choice of any Boys' $1.00 Blouse Shirt Waist in the house... 49c

White Skirts, 25c. Ladies' Muslin Skirts, deep hemstitched ruffle, 50c value..... 25c

Lace Hose, 7½c. 100 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Lisle Finish Hose, lace patterns, 19c value, until sold, Wednesday..... 7½c

Misses' and Boys' Fast Black Ribbed Hose, double heel and toe, sizes 5 to 9½, 15c kind, Wednesday..... 7c

Children's Vests, 1c. 100 dozen Children's Ribbed Low Neck and Sleeveless Vests..... 1c

Ladies' Ribbed Low Neck and Sleeveless Vests, full taped, white or ecru, 15c kind..... 5c

50c Men's Shirts, 29c. 65 dozen Men's Laundered Percale Shirts—collars and cuffs attached—50c kind—Wednesday 29c

25c Boys' School Caps, 12c. 75c Boys' Fedora Hats, black and brown.. 35c

$1.25 Men's Soft Hats, military and tourist styles..... 69c

98c for $5.00 Skirts.

At 98c—Linen Dress Skirts—upper portion entirely tucked, very newest effects, graduated flounce, stylishly stitched, $5.00 kind.

At 75c—Polka Dot Mercerized Gingham and Denim Dress Skirts, stylishly trimmed with ruffles, others neatly braided, full $3 values.

Ladies' $1.50 Black Satine Underskirts, flounce and dust ruffle. 49c

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40c ON THE DOLLAR

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